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PERILOUS VOYAGE OF THE ARABIA.

ENCOUNTER WITH ICE-FIELDS.

Narrow Escape from an Enormous Iceberg.

Reckless Running through fog and ice.

Correspondence of the New York Daily Times.

LONDON, Friday, Feb. 29th.

We left Boston on the 13th of February; had an uncommonly fine run to Halifax—arriving there at midnight of the 14th. Nothing had been heard of the *Pacific*, and there were additional reports of ice met with by coasters. Leaving Halifax on the morning of the 15th, it was understood to be the intention of the captain to take us far to the southward, in hopes to keep below the ice.

Reaching the Banks, we took southeasterly winds, and encountered thick fogs, and thus we were running, during Sunday forenoon, the 17th, heading southeasterly, carrying maintopsail, reefed foretopsail, and all fore-and-aft sails, with a fair strong wind, and going very rapidly, fourteen miles an hour, by the log—the fog all the time so dense that vision of the sea extended seldom so far as the ship's own length before us.

It was chilly, damp, and altogether unpleasant on deck, the ship plunging and rolling a good deal, and few of the passengers showing themselves. The captain stood constantly under the lee of the weather paddle-box, looking ahead; the officer of the deck walked near him, keeping his eyes on the look-outs, two of whom stood at the cat-heads and one on each paddle-box. Another man was stationed near the mainmast, and the third and fourth officers relieved each other as quarter-masters, near the wheel. No other precautions were taken. No bell, no gong, no steam whistling, no gun firing, and the remainder of the watch on deck were permitted to lounge or *caulk* under shelter. Thus we went driving on more rapidly than the *Arctic* or the *Vesta* before their fatal collision, and with less precaution, but not less vigilance.

I think it was about 2 o'clock; I was standing between the paddle-boxes with a friend, looking forward, when I heard the captain quietly say to the officer of the deck: "All hands, Sir, shorten sail." At the same moment he stepped backwards and touched the engineer's alarm bell.

The lookout had said nothing; the wind had not increased; the fog not thickened. "What can this be for?" said I, looking to windward. The watch on deck were clewing up, men standing by sheets and halyards, and the boatswain was piping up the sleepers, when I cast my eye forward on the turbid water. "See, there is a bit of ice; "it's the first I have seen, and there is another—oh! that is what the captain saw; he is afraid we are approaching a body of it. There—there! there is more; on, there it is, plenty of it!"

"Hard a-port!" shouted the captain, in a voice to be remembered. "Hard a-port," was repeated aft; the engineer's bell sounded, "stop, turn back;" the sails swung aback or flapped idly, but in a moment the *Arabia* was rushing, yet at full speed, into the close, white field of ice; in another moment clear water was beyond our vision on any side.

The captain rang "stop," and the engine rested as the ice struck the paddles. After the ship had lost headway, they were again turned forward slowly, while the crew furled the sails. Slowly we parted the surging surface of ice, which was so broken that the pieces averaged in size not larger than a bucket; slowly moved on, heading south-west, until at length we ran out into clear water again. About fifteen minutes afterwards, the look-outs forward shouted "More ice!" The helm was put down to bring the wind against us; paddles stopped and backed, as before; but again, though we were then moving much more slowly, we had presently run some ship's lengths, I judged, into the "field." Again the ship's course was made south-west, and the engineer's bell was rung to turn forward slowly. I walked to the stern and leaned over the counter to see if the paddles were at all injured. While I was in this position, I heard an exclamation, and, raising my head, beheld the most frightful object that, in more than fifty thousand miles sea sailing, I ever encountered; right abreast of us, and not a hundred yards distant, yet spectral in the fog, a dead, ghastly and unblemished white iceberg, just about as large above water as the City Hall in New York.

We passed it quickly and silently; many of those on deck, even, did not see it; a few minutes afterwards the ship ran into clear water, and we went driving on, still heading towards Boston, however, at full speed. An hour later we, passengers, went to our dinner. The steward had exerted himself as usual on Sunday. Champagne flowed freely, the ladies who were well enough perfidiously kissed Charlotte of Russia, and then demolished calf-foot Malakoffs, and *blanc mange* Redans highly creditable to the ship's confectioner. The Jews and Gentiles withheld for the day, by the good law of the sea from their usual recreation of gambling, exerted themselves to unusual hilarity, to kill the tiresome old enemy, Time. If, approaching from windward, we had ran upon the berg we had so closely shaved, as we first did into the field-ice, beyond a doubt, every man and woman of us would ourselves have been, long before dinner-time, food for codfishes and perhaps back again in New York, trying the thin skin of our spiritual knuckles on the mahogany of "Mrs. Jones, Medium."

Young South Carolina.

The N. Y. *Tribune*, in an article commenting on the late murderous riot of the Columbia (S. C.) students, by which three of the students and four of the police were killed, goes on to say:

But after all, we do not think the boys are the most to blame in this matter. Their education began a long while before they came up to Columbia to finish it and the policemen together. Everybody remembers Jefferson's famous opinion as to the effect of Slavery in forming the character of the young. Disregard to the rights of others, habits of tyranny, an entire lack of self-control, are the natural, almost the necessary consequences of growing up surrounded by helpless slaves. The most pampered and cockered brat of Northern Upper Tendom soon learns that there are limits within which he must keep his passions and his caprices. The French *bonne*, the German nurse, the Irish maid, the Yankee help, will submit but to a certain extent to master's tantrum's. All around him he sees people, if below him in social condition, (which none is so quick to discern as a child,) who must be treated with a certain consideration and respect. And thus a most important part of education is carried forward long before the college or even the school steps in with its artificial disciplines. Perhaps the twig is bent more irrevocably during the first six years of life than by all the rest of youth put together.

In a Slave country, all these influences are as opposite as they can be to what we have just described. From the moment that intelligence begins to light up the eyes of the Southern infant they look upon dark faces that have but one expression of submission. The whims, caprices and passions of the human breast have their full swing, instead of being restrained by the constant control of independent, if ignorant human beings. The child slaveholder finds himself surrounded by child slaves, who have no resistance to offer and no appeal to make against his petty tyrannies. As he advances towards manhood he finds no obstacle in the way of the gratification of all his vicious propensities. Thus growing up, familiarized to cruelty, to the sight, and the whip, to the science if not to the practice of the slave-hunt, accustomed to disregard the rights and the wishes of others, and to foster his selfishness into a passion, what wonder that he cannot command himself among white men when they come in his way. The duel, the street fight, the murderous brawls and bloody riots, like this at Columbia, are the necessary, the inevitable consequences of Slavery. It is among the most deplorable of all its fatal consequences, and this is the Southern System of Education, and that these are and must be its fruits.

Railway Collision.

The lightning Express train on the Little Miami Railway, going up, and the Springfield Accommodation train, coming down, came into collision about half past eight o'clock yesterday morning, at Spring Valley, a few miles this side of Xenia. They were both at the above station on time, the Accommodation train being on the side track, and the other train approaching at the rate of twenty miles an hour. The switch tender, through some fatal mistake, changed the switch at a time when the upward train was but a few lengths distant, thus throwing the train on the side track. The engineer of the accommodation train, which was stationary, seeing the impending danger, sprang from the ground on to the locomotive, and reversed the engine, but too late to prevent a collision. The express train came with tremendous force against the other, shattering the two locomotives, and tearing the baggage cars to pieces. One of the latter took fire, but the flames were speedily extinguished and the baggage saved from injury. Mr. Charles Hunt, engineer of the express train, was so badly injured that he died in about an hour after the accident. He was a married man and lived in Columbus. Charles Sanderholt, Messenger for Adams & Co.'s Express, was seriously but not fatally injured. W. W. Gould, baggage master on the express train, was much hurt in the back and hips. One of the firemen was much hurt. None were hurt on the accommodation train, and none of the passengers on either train.—*Cin. Com.*, 19th.

FREEDOM OF PRESS IN NICARAGUA.—We learn from a California paper that on one occasion recently the Walker troops did not receive their usual weekly literary *pabulum*—*El Nicaraguense*, for the excellent reason that it was not issued, the corps editorial and typographical having been overcome by the climate or *aguardiente*. Whereupon General Walker sent word to the office that, in case the paper was not issued by sunset the next day, he should send a file of soldiers to arrest the editors, printers and all. Great activity prevailed in the office after the reception of this hint, and the paper was rushed up just in time. The file of soldiers arrived just in time to see the forms locked up.

This is a regular Napoleonic feat, with the difference that the French Emperor sends files of soldiers to stop the press, while the Dictator of Central America uses his force to set it agoing. Great country, that Nicaragua. Nothing but peace, plenty, orange groves, volcanoes and pretty women.—*N. Y. Herald.*

The Truth About Nicaragua.

A sensible farmer of Connecticut tempted by Col. Walker's offer of 250 acres of land to be given to each emigrant who would settle in Nicaragua, went down there last winter to see what the country was like. Passing over the details of the voyage, the hardships and impositions he suffered, we publish that portion relating to the main object of his visit:

My next two weeks were occupied in looking about the country in the vicinity. My opportunities for observation were abundant, and I will now proceed to state succinctly the facts of importance which I desire to communicate.

First, then, I propose to show the inducements for farmers to emigrate to the land which has been called the "Garden of the world." The offer of 250 to 300 acres of land as a free gift, is held out to the worthy farmer; and on the Northern Light going out I found eight farmers on board who had been lured from their homes in the United States by the golden promises held out in Nicaragua. Mr. Jackson, who with myself boarded with Mr. Squires, had sold his farm in Connecticut to emigrate, got discouraged, was taken sick and died in three days. Four of the others went out from Granada with other parties to examine the country and were gone over three days. They hired mules and went to Messiah. Two of the number were taken sick with the fever and died before their return. The other two returned to Granada, where one died with the fever three days after. The remaining three left, determined to get out of the country as soon as possible. Another party of farmers, some from California, went down to examine a region of country said to be very fertile, situated between Rivas and Virgin Bay. Two of the party were taken sick with the fever while absent, and the others returned to Granada and filed their claims to the land they had staked out; afterwards they returned to the land to commence operations. But while at Virgin Bay, on my way home, I saw one of these gentlemen and talked with him. He was very low with the fever himself, and beyond hopes of recovery. He told me that soon after returning to commence working their claims, they were taken down with the fever, and when he left his location four of the number were lying there too sick to be removed. I learned from a Government officer that these claims were the first which had been filed for farms since Walker's Government had been established, and that up to that time not a spade had been struck into the ground, on Government land, by an American.

As regards the fertility of the soil, some parts of the State are very fruitful; but I do not think an American can make a living on any amount of land. From all that I can judge, the Government land for agricultural purposes is worthless. I believe that the labor required to clear-up sufficient land of the underbrush to enable a person to live from it, (if he could live from any amount of land,) if that labor were applied to five acres of land in rendering it fertile and devoting it to gardening purposes and fruit near hear here, it would make a man independent. I think a person is far better off who is working on a farm at fifty cents a day and his board, than he would be at Nicaragua with a thousand acres of land. After they have got the land in their possession, if they live long enough to build a house, they will find that the labor of clearing land enough to raise an acre of corn will be more than they can endure. The land is covered with an almost impenetrable underbrush, which forms the retreat of countless snakes and scorpions. Numbers of farmers who have gone out for the purpose of taking up land, were in Granada when I left, some dying, some sick, and others without the means of getting away, discouraged and disheartened. I took much pains to test all the tropical fruits of the country, and would not give our apple and peach for the whole catalogue.

The inducements to mechanics are but little better if any. Mr. Squires, the carpenter who went out on the Northern Light—who had a good chest of tools and was an excellent workman—was making from $3 to $5 per day; but he told me that this could not last more than a few weeks, as there was nothing in his line to do except repairing windows, small jobbing and making an occasional store-counter. A young man, also carpenter, who went out with his brother, was employed by the Government in making coffins, which is the most lucrative employment in the place. He was taken sick at 6 o'clock in the evening and at 4 the next morning he was dead, and that day was buried in a coffin which he had made himself. He was perfectly temperate in his habits, and in excellent health up to the moment when he was taken sick. His brother came home in the Northern Light a few days since, sick with the fever, and it was only by careful nursing on the voyage that he was enabled to reach his home alive. Mr. R. T. Starr, for many years cutter and foreman in the tailoring establishment of Wm. T. Jennings & Co., Broadway, is the only person in Granada who is making money at his trade, he having the patronage of the Government as well as nearly all the private citizens. Many mechanics, unable to find employment, get out of money, have no means of living, and are thus forced to leave the country.

There is still another class of emigrants who are fired with military enthusiasm, and to them I have but little to say. Generally they have no honest employment here, and do not want any. At least six of this class who left New York on the 24th of January died the next day after their arrival while on their way from Granada to Leon, where they had been ordered to march, musket in hand, under a scorching sun. I did not learn how many more died before reaching Leon, but was informed that the captain of the company, mounted on a mule, went on to Leon for a physician. The fillibuster leaves New York in high spirits, but when he gets into Gen. Walker's power he will be as tame and submissive as a sick lamb. In walking around among the troops I have seen them in tears over their desolate situation, it being impossible for them to leave the army. Walker lets off no man, however urgent the necessity may be. I have seen a very worthy young man plead the sickness of his mother and her destitution as a reason for his return, and the only answer he got was a peremptory order to go back to his company. There are very worthy young men in the army, but among all there is a general dissatisfaction and disappointment. Their food is very poor, and their pay is barely enough for their washing expenses. The captains receive only six dollars per week, and sickness prevails in the army to an alarming extent.

For laboring men to emigrate the inducements are quite as few. One man, who left Granada on the day I did to return, was seized with the fever on the way down the lake. At Virgin Bay he was treated by a physician, who thought that he might venture to start for home. He did so, and on the second day out from San Juan he died, and his body was thrown overboard. I understood that he was formerly a policemen in this city. Two Irishmen, brothers, went out in the *Northern Light*, but one became discouraged on arriving at San Juan and returned. His brother, however, went on with me to Granada. He got employment at a dollar and a half per day at driving the Government cart. He was a healthy and strictly sober man, but one week after his arrival was seized with the fever and died. It is impossible for an American to work in that climate, particularly those from the Northen States. They become debilitated and weak, and those who are in the habit of drinking sufficiently to irritate the stomach almost invariably die. Granada is the great deadhouse of the country. Three miles from the city is a pond which, in the dry season, becomes putrid, and the wind, which almost always blows from that direction, sends a miasma over the city; and this, with rum and dirt is the cause of the unhealthiness of the place. When I left, there were about 400 Americans in the city, and they were dying at the rate of five per day on an average. It is said that Leon, a place 100 miles above Granada, and reached by mules, is much more healty. Virgin Bay, Castillo and San Carlos are comparatively healthy.

The writer closes his letter by an account of his own sickness and narrow escape from death by fever and his return home.

BIG BEAR STORY.—A short time since, a party of hunters turned out to capture a bear which had been seen on Towanda Creek, Bradford, Pa. He was tracked through the snow for three days, and finally found, securely ensconced in his den, a fearful looking cave, on the bank of the creek. All efforts to dislodge him from his retreat having failed, Wm. Northrop made preparations for "bearding the bear in his den." Furnishing himself with a torch and his trusty rifle, and with a rope tied to one leg, *a la Putnam*, to expedite his retreat, should it be necessary, he entered the cave. The ascent, for about eight feet, was nearly perpendicular, and crawling about twelve further, the aperture widened sufficiently to admit of his standing upright. The light of his torch showed him the bear sitting upon his haunches, at the further side of the cavern, awaiting the attack. Aiming at the eyes, which gleamed from the torchlight, he fired, and made his exit as speedily as possible. Having every confidence that his aim had been true, and the shot effectual, in a short time he returned, and found the animal dead. A rope having been procured and fastened to the bear, it was drawn out by the aid of those outside. He was found to be a monstrous animal, weighing over 500 pounds.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.—Returns have been received from all but about a dozen small towns in this state, which cannot, says the Boston *Atlas*, have cast 500 votes all together, and the result for Governor foots up as follows: Metcalf, Am. Rep., 30,979; Wells Pierce Dem., 31,493; Goodwin, Whig, 2,337; Scattering, 141.

The Senate, according to the latest intelligence, stand 8 American Republican and 4 Pierce men. The returns are not quite complete, but the result will not likely vary far from the above. The aggregate vote for Senators, which shows the relative strength of parties in the State—there being only two regular candidates running in each district—is as follows? American Republican, 33,205; Pierce Democrats, 31,643. Majority against Pierce, is 1,562.

The House stands 162 Opposition to 135 Pierce men.

The Council will probably stand 3 American Republicans and 2 Administration—possibly 4 Republicans and only 1 Administration.

The *Alta Californian* issues a daily edition of 3,600; the *Chronicle* 3,120; and the *Herald* 2,640.

Outside Passengers—In Awkward Fix.

Coming in on the Central road a few nights since, we chanced to become acquainted with a new style of Railroad riding.

H—— and V—A—— got on board at Marshall in company with two or three of their friends, and made themselves merry until we reached Denton's Mills. The train was four or five hours behind time, and expected to meet the evening train, bound West, at that station. The track is straight from this point to Wayne, and the head light of the Western train was seen at a distance of about five miles, but apparently stationary. After waiting twenty minutes, as the rules require, the engineer gave the signal, and we started for the motionless train.

Just as we reached it and our train had come to a halt, H—— and V—A—— crouched by us as we stood upon the platform, remarking that they were going out to "regulate this thing." With that they jumped into the snow, which was knee deep, and trudged along towards the head of the train. Just as they had got opposite the engine, the Conductor of the Western bound track signalled "all right," and our train commenced backing. H—— and V—A—— saw the position of things at a glance and took long steps on the back train. They were too late to gain the forward passenger car, and making a virtue of necessity, fastened upon the iron bars on the side of the baggage and mail cars. Here, with their feet and hands not more than eighteen inches apart and their bodies inclining outwards, they clung like two woodcocks while the train was slowly backing to the station—a distance of *some five miles!* H. wears a wig, which, with his hat, he had lost in his desperate effort to gain his hold on the car. The night was clear and cold, with a full moon, and the light snow, disturbed by the rushing train, played around his shining crown like spray about a polished figure-head on a steamboat. Arrived at the station, they came puffing and blowing into the passenger car; H. disposed to be somewhat merry and a little too talkative in reference to their adventure—a disposition which V—A—— soon subdued by a few very expressive glances. They then relapsed into a moody, meditative silence which continued the rest of the journey.

H— and V—A—— are prominent citizens of Marshall; V—A—— hating a practical joke, of which he is the victim, worse than he does the evil one, and H—— being the same man who recently undertook to show his partner "how to bow to the ladies!"—*Det. Tribune.*

The editor of the Albany *State Register* says there are 75,000 members of the order who repudiate the platform and candidates nominated at Philadelphia, and endorse his course, and that of all the Northern States bolting from the Convention. If that is true, and we have no reason to believe it is not—for no less than eight papers in the State have already adopted the course of the *Register*—Mr. Fillmore may be counted entirely out of the question. He will not carry a single Northern State.

Wm. Rolls, one of the kidnapped boys, a bright, lively little fellow twelve years of age, reached his home in this city Monday, having been permitted to leave the calaboose at St. Louis, and an opportunity found him for working his passage here, which he did by scouring knives.—*Cin. Com.*

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Friday Morning..........March 21, 1856.

Pacific Not Heard From.

The Persia has arrived with Liverpool dates to the 8th, but she brings no intelligence of the missing steamer Pacific. This vessel has now been out fifty-one days, and we fear that all hope of her safety must be abandoned. There yet remains a chance that she may be heard from at the Western Islands; but the probability is so slight that it can scarcely afford a reasonable ground of hope. The sea may yet give up some token of the fate by which she was overtaken; but until it does she must be added to the long list of those of which it is said—"Sailed from port and heard of no more."

Further Decline in Breadstuffs.

Dealers will be compelled, under the influence of the Persia's news, to submit to a further decline in breadstuffs. We trust that the retrograde movement, now at its height, will give way in a few days or weeks to a more healthy state of feeling, and that prices will once more tend upward. There are many causes at work to produce the present panic—among which the alleged certainty of peace in Europe, is the principal. It need not be wondered that the speculative confidence in that event should send prices down to their lowermost point in the scale; but it will be wonderful if they do not again recover and ascend to or near figures at which they stood before the commencement of the downward rush.

Nicaragua.

We publish, on the outside, parts of a very interesting letter written to the New York *Tribune*, by a gentleman who spent the winter in Nicaragua. Its conclusions are borne out by travelers of an earlier date, and sustained by nearly all of the later disinterested visitors to that land.

This is the country of fever and of malaria, and like the swamps of the Carolinas and of Georgia and Florida, brings death quickly to the white man's door. He cannot stand the climate. It is true that the native of Charleston, South Carolina, dare not sleep one night in the swamp region around that city after June, and before the frost sets in, and certain, if he does so, that in nine cases out of ten he will die of the poison he has breathed into his system. So it is in large portions of Nicaragua. The mixed breeds, the blacks, from some cause or other, are able to withstand the malaria there, as well as in South Carolina—but the whites cannot do it. They perish wherever they have to encounter it.

We do not know, and will not be able very soon to learn of the actual condition of the health of the Americans in Nicaragua, owing to the suppression of facts by the authorities. But the coming summer will tell its story. If it shall turn out that yellow fever and country fever have laid low the half of those who have immigrated there, it will be impossible to conceal the fatal result, or to deny the conclusion that the white race cannot flourish in such a land of fever and malaria.

Violence breeds Violence.

The lips of the *Fathers* of the boys of South Carolina burn with revengeful words and almost devilish denunciations against the men of the North who love freedom and will not yield to them, and it is natural that their boys, with revolver and bowie-knife and rifle, should undertake "to assert their own dignity" and wipe out an insult with blood, as the students did in the late outbreak of the Columbia College. We must expect the son to tread thus in the footsteps of the *sire*. We see the cause—we may be sure of the effect.

But though the students were arrested in their late outbreak, and yielded to the persuasions of the citizens of Columbia, yet, they were neither conquered nor subdued. This we may understand from a simple statement of facts.

The President of the South Carolina College—Mr. McCay, according to the New York *Tribune*—was *born at the North*. This the students hold to be good cause for his expulsion from the high office he holds. And why not? Their fathers have preached doctrines which lead, logically, to this conclusion, and we can neither blame the boys for carrying it out, or seeking to carry it out practically, nor wonder at it. True, these fathers protest. True, also, that the [illegible]. True, also, that President McCay claims to be Southern in feeling and in principle. But the boys answer or ask, where the virtue of affirming a principle if it be not practically asserted? Why the declaration that Southern youth shall be educated by Southern men, unless it shall be effectively enforced? And they are right. They simply do what their fathers have taught, and daily teach. They simply carry out to the dark and terrible end what parental authority and official State dignitaries hold to be the duty of every Carolinian.

And what a result! How fearfully does it prove the curse of Slavery! How terribly does it mangle the mind of youth and fill its heart with bad and bloody designs! The day it dies out will be a day of blessing to master and man. The hour emancipation is decreed will be the hour of deliverance to the white as well as the black races. Its serpent coil is around both, and of the two, we feel or fear, sometimes, that the Saxon feels the keenest its agonies because, drinking deepest of its death-poison.

Canada.

Our neighbors across the Lakes are progressing in a way which gives promise of a bright future. Without much seeming effort, without, certainly, any thing akin to angry agitation, they are popularizing their government and approaching nearer and nearer a republican basis. Every year witnesses an advance in the right direction, and this year, especially, will be a marked one, both by the extent and the solidity of the reform achieved.

For some time past, the question as to the seat of government, has agitated our neighbors. That is now settled as to one point. Parliament will declare Montreal the Capitol. Such, at least, is the opinion of the best informed citizens of Canada.

But another question, one going to the very root of government, has occupied the attention of Parliament—viz: an "Elective Legislative Council Bill," and we rejoice to say, meets with the support of a majority in that body. It has passed to a second reading by an almost unanimous vote, making its final passage certain. This is thorough work—radical, but conservative—a reform which will put Canada in yet closer proximity to the United States in political principle and social feeling. Ours, indeed, becomes an elective Council, and necessarily every officer of State, from the Governor down, will soon be chosen by the people.

Canada is being republicanized rapidly, and in the right way. This result flows from a general and thorough discussion, from the sober and settled thought of the people, and it has been, or will be, brought about against the potent influences of British Example, loyalty to the British Court, and the uncontrolled force of habit and education. Reform in Canada, then, when accomplished, means something. It is, and will be marked by stability and breadth—by a progress, which, step by step, will reach up to and secure a Republican Government, at once free, and enlightened, solid and prosperous.

Town Elections in New York.

The town elections in New York show a great decline in Know-Nothingism since the nomination of Fillmore, of Fugitive-Slave-Law memory, and Donelson, the owner of a hundred negroes.

The people of that State heretofore connected with the Order, will not suffer themselves to be transferred to the support of Nebraskaism by any political broker whomsoever, and hence this revolution.

Boldly Put.

Thomas L. Clingman, of N. C., is out with a four column Address to his constituents, and meets or makes the issue, on the Southern side, boldly. He declares, that the Constitution endows the Federal Government with the power to protect and defend Slavery, [illegible]. He says:—

"[illegible] provided that slaves should be represented in Congress, so as to increase the weight of [illegible] States."

[illegible] from Tampico to the 8th ult. state that the [illegible] Consul had quarrelled with [illegible] on the question of the [illegible] the interior to [illegible]. Uraga [illegible].

☞ The Muscatine (Iowa) Journal, one of the few papers in Iowa that hoisted the Fillmore flag, has changed hands, and puts up the Republican Ticket at the head of its columns.

☞ The Know-Nothings of Cleveland have nominated an independent city ticket.

Bullyism.

There is a bullyism—a braggart tone—in the partisans of the Administration neither consonant with a generous spirit nor a manly purpose. We have it in the United States Senate, and we hear it in our City Council! It merits the rebuke of all well disposed men, and should be met, wherever it may show itself, by a bearing which shows that it fears no peril and can be cowed by no threats.

Senator Douglas is free in the employment of this bullyism. "*We intend to subdue you,*" said he in reply to Senator Sumner. And pray, by what right does he use such language? Who made him master over any man or State? By what authority does he dare employ such language to his equals, or to the people whom they represent? "Subdue." Why, that means "to oppress, to crush, to conquer, to overthrow," and this, too, by superior force or the exertion of superior power. "I will subdue all thine enemies," was the prophet speech of the Almighty. And yet in the Senate of the United States, and under a Government where free speech and the rights of minorities are held to be sacred, Senator Douglas flings out this arbitrary threat, and talks as if he were a despot.

So, also, in his debate with Senator Trumbull. How insolent and how craven! How threatening on one side and how careful on the other! "Mr. Trumbull's speech was unfair—the Senator had violated the courtesies of the Senate—he was the representative of a miserable sect of Abolitionists and Know-Nothings." Yet when bluffed by Senator Crittenden, when demanded by him to know what he meant, Senator Douglas declared that he did not refer to the Know-Nothings South! Had he been true, had he possessed that pluck which is ready to stand by plighted faith, or to push out his principles without exception, he would have branded the Kentuckian as boldly as he had assailed the peace member from Massachusetts. For where the distinction, as to rites and secrecy, between the parties in the two sections? In what, outside of Anti-Slavery, do they differ? Mark the colloquy:

Mr. C.—I wish the Senator to understand that I co-operate with the American party, and standing here as a gentleman and a Senator, and claiming all the respect due to my honesty as a free man, I repel every imputation of that kind as intended to embrace me and my political associates.

Mr. Douglas explained. I spoke of what Know-Nothingism is in Illinois, and said it might be otherwise in the South. Every Know-Nothing lodge in Illinois has adopted an Abolition creed, and that is the miserable faction which sent my colleague here. The Senator from Kentucky misunderstood me, else he would not have conceived my remark as personal to him.

Mr. C.—The gentleman did not make the qualification he now does.

Mr. D.—Every gentleman must have understood me as making a distinction. I said nothing about Southern Know-Nothings.

The Kentuckian was bold, "I wish the Senator to understand." His very language carried with it determination—the purpose to resent a taunt and punish an insult. "I co-operate with the American party, and standing here as a gentleman and a Senator, and claiming all respect due to my honesty, I *repel* every imputation of the kind." He meant to drive back the Illinois Senator, and he did so. Forthwith Mr. Douglas explained and apologized, saying that he did not refer to Know Nothings South, logically taking the ground that if the secret party was pro-slavery, it was right, if anti-slavery, it was wrong. But Mr. Crittenden refused to accept the apology! "The gentleman did not make the qualification he now does!" said he. "I really did," was Mr. Douglas's reply. "Every gentleman must have understood me as making a distinction. *I said nothing about Southern Know Nothings.*"

Nor did the bullyism of Senator Douglas answer better when tried upon Senator Trumbull. The latter met him as he should have been met: "I shall suffer no man here or elsewhere, to state of me things which are absolutely and totally unfounded. If he means to say I am or ever have been a Know Nothing, or connected with any secret political organization, the charge is basely—I will not violate the rules of the Senate, but say—untrue." And what followed? Why, a resort to a stale party trick: "I'll resign if you will," was Mr. Douglas's evasion. Pray, what had that to do with the issue on hand? What earthly connection was there between it and the matters so boisterously and coarsely forced upon the Senate? Senator Douglas saw, as a friend tells us every Senator and all the spectators of the scene saw, that the look, and tone, and bearing of Senator Trumbull spoke a dauntless resolution which no threat could shake and no power alarm. His whole attitude was that of a man at once honest and in earnest. Senator Douglas, foiled and floored by Senator Crittenden, was again as badly foiled and floored by his colleague.

We give these details with no pleasure, but as it is evident that a certain class of men, following the bad example of Senator Douglas, are determined to bully every opponent—"to subdue them" by loud talk, harsh language, or angry threats, we have felt it to be necessary to give them, and to say, in doing so, that no man of spirit will permit this bullyism—no party, worthy to be called such, submit to it. True courage never thus exhibits itself. A just physical bravery would scorn it. The presumption is, that whoever resorts to bullyism is craven at heart; but if not so, if it were recklessly brave, it should be met and put down. It is precisely that base quality which men of pluck will rebuke and brand wherever or by whoever practiced.

National Popular Education.

The Board of National Popular Education was established nine years since. During its existence, Ex-Governor Slade, of Vermont, has been its Secretary, and has given to it the benefit of his wise counsel and active exertions.

We had the pleasure, yesterday, of meeting this good and venerable man. Alive as ever to the cause of education, full fraught with the vital necessity of training the children of the country aright, we could but greet the Apostle of a noble cause as one of the true friends of the Republic, as one who silently yet surely was preparing the youth of the land for the duties and responsibilities which they may be called upon to meet and perform.

What the Board of National Popular Education has accomplished it would be difficult to estimate. The figures show the *surface* work of the Society, hitherto, to be as follows:

We have sent out 423 teachers. They have been drawn from the following States, viz: Vermont, 103; Massachusetts, 103; New York, 78; Maine, 40; Connecticut, 36; New Hampshire, 35; Pennsylvania, 8; Ohio Reserve, 5; Rhode Island, 4; Michigan, 4; Wisconsin, 1; Illinois, 1; Virginia, 1; Ireland, 1. Those from Michigan and Illinois availed themselves of our course at Hartford to become better fitted for usefulness as teachers in the West. The teacher from Wisconsin was sent to California.

The teachers have been distributed as follows: To Indiana, 121; Illinois, 99; Missouri, 51; Iowa, 31; Wisconsin, 31; Michigan, 22; Ohio, 18; Tennessee, 9; Kentucky, 8; Western Pennsylvania, 6; Minnesota, 3; North Carolina, 3; Alabama, 3; Texas, 3; Arkansas, 2; Mississippi, 1; Shawnee Baptist Mission, 1; Kansas, 1; California, 5; Oregon, 4.

Of the teachers thus sent out, 149 have returned—most of them after teaching two years or more. A few have returned within that time—most of them on account either of ill health, or the solicitations of family friends needing their sympathy and care. Forty-nine of the returned have again gone west, leaving 100 still in the East. Several of these are expected to go back during the coming year. Twenty-two of the teachers have died—seven of them after their marriage. There are, therefore, now in the West, 301. Of these, 129 are married—several of whom, however, are still teaching.

This is called, and properly, only the surface work. What is deeper lies beneath. And that is, the cultivation of the mind, its right development, and the right development of the heart, the cultivation, in short, of the character of the youth put under the charge of this phalanx of teachers. Who shall estimate that? Who tell what these faithful teachers have accomplished or will accomplish? The report of the Board eloquently says:—

A fearful interest gathers around the present period. The world is subject to mighty impulses. Mind as well as matter is moved by steam. It is harnessed to the car of human progress. What is to guide this progress, and control and rightly direct awakened and highly stimulated human energy? is a question of intense interest. *Education* is the answer to this question. Little change can be effected in the *risen* race. What it is, it will for the most part, continue to be. To *reform* is much harder than to form. If there is ground of hope any where, it is in the proper education of the rising race—the training up of a generation under sound intellectual and moral influences. It is no exaggeration to say, that such influences were never more needed than now,—that no rising generation was ever destined to pass through a more eventful period than the present generation. The children who constitute the present rising race are to meet the responsibilities of a manhood, which will be thrown into a period in human history, more intensely interesting than the world has ever witnessed. They must, then, be educated—universally educated.

Gov. Slade gives up, as we have said, all his time to this great work, and will call upon our citizens for help. Money is needed—must be had. What generous citizen will refuse his aid? Who, that is able, will not cheerfully contribute? We hope he will receive a liberal subscription in Chicago, satisfied, as we are, that the means so spent will tell well upon the present and the future.

Letter from Sterling.

STERLING, March 18, 1856.

Editors Tribune:—Among the many new and enterprising towns that are everywhere springing, as it were almost in a day, into existence all over the West, I have not one which presents a greater number of attractions to those designing to embark in business in the Western country than does the town of Sterling. This thriving place is on the Galena and Chicago Union Air Line Railroad, just West of Dixon, and on the beautiful Rock River, having a handsome location overlooking the stream for miles up and down its course.

The population of Sterling, in February, 1855, was according to the census taken then, 670 souls; in July, 1855, it was 1742 persons, while the population to-day does not number less than 2,500; showing a rapid and most wonderful increase. The number of buildings of all kinds erected last year was 254, while contracts have been already made for the erection of nearly 300 new buildings this year, and there is every probability that a much larger number will be built. There are over thirty stores of various kinds in full blast; three hotels, including the popular and most excellent Wallace House; six large grain buying warehouses, and five well stocked lumber yards. All these concerns appear to be, and no doubt are, doing a large and profitable business.

This Spring a first class bridge, resting upon stone piers and abutments, is to be built across the river at this point, which will bring the populous and magnificent country on the East side of the river directly accessible to Sterling, making that point the nearest and best market.

The Sterling Water Power Company, last fall completed the finest dam on the river, which creates a water power unsurpassed in the East or West. The dam is built of stone, being 874 feet long, having a base of forty feet. The cost was $30,000. The width of the race is one hundred feet, and it can be extended over a mile, if necessary. This race is located on a flat just in front of the town and on a level with, and some two hundred feet distant from, the railroad tracks at the depot. The water power at Sterling may be truly said to be unlimited, and the prices at which the power is sold or leased are remarkably low—placing it within the reach of those possessing only a small capital—the Water Power Company being also exceedingly liberal in giving time upon their sales.

The country surrounding Sterling is unsurpassed in the West for richness of soil, climate and beauty, and in the immediate neighborhood is quite densely populated. Many of the farms are under a very high state of cultivation, and fruit of all kinds is quite abundant, and of choice quality. Dr. Pennington took the first premium for foreign fruit at New York State Fair last year.

There is perhaps no more eligible location for any kind of manufactories, particularly manufactories of agricultural implements than is Sterling, and no better point for the business man of any class to locate. Those who come to the West for homes should by all means pay Sterling a visit before fixing upon a location, that they may see its many incomparable advantages for themselves; I confess to have praised Sterling very highly, but gentlemen, if you would only come and see the place, you would find that I have fallen behind rather than exceeded the truth. Come out and make us a visit, will you not?

VENI VIDI.

Seizure of Arms by Missourians.

The St. Louis *Democrat* of Saturday, confirms the truth of the telegraphic report of the seizure of arms by the citizens of Lexington, denied by the *Republican*, and demonstrates its correctness by copying the article from the *Express*, which we publish in another column. The former journal says:

How much benefit it will be to St. Louis as a commercial city, and how much advantage to the State at large, when it becomes known abroad that emigration to Kansas cannot safely ship from this point, or quietly and securely voyage upon the noble river that threads our territory—we leave to the business men in our midst to determine. They can judge of the effect—let them dispense their approval to whomsoever shall deserve it.

If they seek to precipitate a civil war in the West—if they wish all intercourse with the fertile plains of Kansas cut off—if they desire that trade to be forced across the railroads of Iowa rather than down the stream of the Missouri—if they wish to see the rule of mob law triumphant everywhere—then may they with propriety sustain and support with their purses the Republican in its incessant efforts to bring such a state of affairs about. If on the contrary they prefer peace and good will amongst neighboring States—if they wish our bonds to have credit abroad, and our people security and quietude at home, then the sooner its inflammatory writings are discountenanced, and its boastful plethory of patronage diminished, the better it will be for all parties. If the arms in question had been shipped through the State of Illinois consigned to merchants in our State, we imagine there would have been very different language employed by the Republican in reference to it?

The Cincinnati Democratic National Convention.

The Washington correspondent of the *Courier and Enquirer*, (Gen. Jas. Watson Webb,) says that there will be three prominent candidates for the Presidency before the Convention—Mr. Pierce, Buchanan, and Mr. Douglas. He says they will go into the Convention with about the following strength:

For Pierce—New England, 41; New York, 35; North and South Carolina, 18; Georgia, 10; Alabama, 9; Florida, 3; Texas, 4; Mississippi, 9; Arkansas, 4; Maryland, 8. Total 141.

For Buchanan—New Jersey, 7; Pennsylvania, 27; Delaware, 3; Virginia, 15; Louisiana, 6; Kentucky, 12. Total 70.

For Douglas—Ohio, 23; Iowa, 4; Michigan, 6; Wisconsin, 5; Illinois, 12; Indiana, 12; Tennessee, 12; Missouri, 9; California, 4.—Total 87.

This is doubtless a very safe calculation—fully one-half of the States named, have already declared for the respective candidates to whom they are set down above. It will require 150 votes to secure a nomination; Pierce will perhaps come within twenty, at most, on the first ballot.

A Clergyman Suing for Divorce.

The opening of a case for divorce is reported in the New York *Evening Post* of Monday, which case, from the character and standing of the plaintiff, and the nature of the charges against his wife, will attract public attention. We copy from that journal:

Richard Cox against Ellen Catherine Cox.—This is a suit for divorce, on the ground of adultery, instituted by the plaintiff, who is rector of Zion's Church, corner of Thirty-seventh street and Madison avenue, and a well known minister of the Protestant Episcopal Church in this city.

The character of the parties and their social position imparted peculiar interest to the case, and the court room was this morning crowded with spectators, no small proportion of whom were doubtless attracted by the scandalous developments which it is expected will be made in the course of the trial. The plaintiff was in court sitting by the side of his counsel, and a large number of witnesses, principally females, were in attendance.

The case of the plaintiff was opened by Mr. Chauncey Shaffer. He stated that the parties were married on May 14th, 1851, at Calvary Church, in this city, by Rev. Dr. Hawks. Previous to the marriage, the defendant had borne the name of Van Wyck, as the widow of Mr. Van Wyck. Dr. Cox was a widower at this time, with two children; and shortly after this second marriage the defendant began to treat them with harshness, so that his life was rendered unhappy.

In the Fall of 1853, however, he made the astounding discovery that, from the age of fifteen and upwards, his wife had been a frequenter of houses of ill-fame, and at various times the mistress of various men. Mr. Shaffer stated that she had lived for a long time with Van Wyck, her late husband, in illicit intercourse, and had only married him because, in conveying land to various persons, they had insisted that the defendant should join in the deed.

He asserted that she had used her husband merely as a cover for her crimes, and had veiled her iniquities beneath the sanctity of his holy office. Among other practices to elude inquiry, while pursuing her amours, she was in the habit of remaining at home on communion days, when the services at the church where her husband officiated, were somewhat longer than usual, and receiving visits from men, who, it would be proved, had been seen coming to and going from the house during the absence of the plaintiff.

She had provided the door of her bedchamber with an unusual and unnecessary number of bolts, for the purpose, as she informed one man in particular, of guarding against the approaches of her husband. It was also her habit to visit houses of prostitution on Saturdays, when her husband was occupied at home in preparing for his duties on Sunday, and she was also in the habit of wearing mourning and two veils, for the purpose more effectually of disguising herself.

Mr. Shaffer further stated that the defendant had on several occasions been followed and traced to notorious houses, and on some occasions had skilfully dodged her pursuers and escaped from them. He specified two young men who knew her as Kate Van Wyck, or, as they called her, "The old Bruiser."

After the developments of her character and pursuits, made in 1853, Dr. Cox had employed two policemen named Carhart and Bell, to watch her, and they had traced her to improper houses.

In December, 1853, the plaintiff wrote a letter of repudiation to his wife, and has never called her by that name since.

Articles of separation were then signed and executed, and they agreed not to live together again, although, with a view of proving a condonation or forgiveness of the crime, he stated that the defendant had come to Dr. Cox's house on several occasions, just prior to their final separation, and had insisted upon remaining there all night. On these occasions, Dr. Cox and his son had avoided all communication with her and shut themselves up in another part of the house.

The defendant, in answer to all these allegations, whether contained in the pleadings, or stated by the counsel in his opening, returned a general denial, except with reference to the two marriages, which were admitted.

☞ A severe tornado swept over the city of New York Tuesday evening, between 7 and 8 o'clock, lasting about three-quarters of an hour. Between 10 and 11, it came on again, and continued more or less through the night, accompanied at intervals by rain. It did much damage, unroofing houses, uprooting trees, ripping awnings, &c.

Arms for Kansas Arrested!
Hostilities Commenced!

(From the Lexington Express Extra, March 9.)

The good steamer *Arabia*, Capt. John S. Shaw, arrived at our wharf about sunrise this morning. Immediately on landing, a committee was dispatched up town to inform our citizens that a person from Massachusetts was on board, having in his possession *one hundred Sharpe's rifles and two cannon!* destined for service in Kansas, and sent forward by the Massachusetts Aid Society. This information brought together many of our most respectable and reliable citizens, when a conference was had by them with Mr. "Start," with a view of inducing him to leave the "dangerous" weapons with our citizens for safe keeping. This he assented to, and delivered the "goods" up, subject to the requisition of Gov. Shannon or his successor in office.

The proceedings were orderly, and although the determination to arrest the arms was decided on, no one talked of violence to the poor tool that could so heartlessly lend himself to such unnatural work.

The arms were boxed up and marked "Carpenters' Tools." The discovery that they were on board was made at or below Glasgow, from a letter, of which the following is a copy, dropped by Mr. S. in the cabin, and picked up by a boy and handed to Capt. Shaw, by whom it was read aloud in the Social Hall. The passengers and officers were highly incensed at the disclosures, but no indignity was offered to the miserable disorganizer.

We are indebted to Wm. F. Donaldson, of Kansas—a good and true man—for a copy of the letter, for which we tender our thanks. The letter is as follows:

ST. LOUIS, March 2, 1856.

Dear Mother: I arrived on Wednesday last, safely, and only tired with travel and want of sleep. All the party of B. are well; two have gone on to Kansas by stage, by whom I have sent portions of each rifle. The unexpected and sudden breaking up of the Missouri, has simplified my future operations, and I shall wait for a boat; several are preparing to go up in a few days. I can wait here several days for a boat, and then arrive in Kansas earlier and more safely than I could by land. I hear but little of Kansas here—not much more than in Massachusetts. Five or six inches of snow fell here yesterday. The weather is very chilly, and the buffalo coat very comfortable, but there is not another worn in the city. I paid a dollar for being rowed across the Mississippi among the ice in a skiff. Wallack the tragedian offered a hundred dollars for a passage for himself and party, across in a skiff at the same time, and I believe he paid it. The passengers on the Ohio and Mississippi railroad were all detained all day on the east side of Illinoistown. Tuesday last, at noon, teams crossed on the ice, and at two P. M. the ice was moving down in broken masses, crushing and carrying away twenty or thirty steamboats. The river looked very much like the Deerfield at the time of the flood. St. Louis is cold, dirty, smoky and disagreeably muddy, &c. The spring trade, it is expected, will be very heavy.

MO. RIVER, 250 MILES ABOVE ST. LOUIS,
Friday Morning, March 7, 1856.

Weather exceedingly cold and disagreeable, but fair on the steamboat Arabia, making about four miles an hour against the stream—writing in the cabin—about 70 passengers, some of them "Border Ruffians." My party consists of four, including self. The devils do not suspect they are entertaining *angels unaware*, and talk and swear freely against the Emigrant Aid Society. My *goods* are so disguised that they will not excite any suspicion.

I shall probably land at Kansas City or at Leavenworth City, near the fort, to-morrow night, and then be within thirty miles of Lawrence. I am perfectly well and confident, with plenty of money in my pocket. Can't learn anything from Kansas. The Mississippi above the Missouri is still closed with smooth, solid ice, and it is a *very favorable* circumstance that the Missouri has suddenly and unaccountably opened, as the river is in excellent order, and although we are on the first boat up, others are on the way behind us, and Kansas is in direct communication, by water, with the Free States, while the weather is too cold for the Border Devils to leave home on a marauding expedition. I say again the sudden breaking up of the Missouri is exceedingly favorable to the Free State cause. I suppose the Free State Legislature assembled at Topeka this week Tuesday, but what they did we may not know until Monday. It is rather probable that they adjourned until summer, but they may have continued in session, and determined to "fight it out, faith," and perhaps that will be the best in the end. It is somewhat probable that I may go back to St. Louis soon, for another load of goods.

I will write again as soon as I have information to communicate, and get where I can trust the Dog Postmaster. Write me, to care of F. A. Hunt & Co., City Buildings, St. Louis, telling me how you are, and who was elected Selectmen and Assessors; whether Mr. Warrain is coming, and what about all interesting people. Clarina was well. Yours affectionately,

START.

The "Carpenters' Tools" are now safely stored in this city.

Great credit justly attaches to Capt. Shaw, and his under officers, for the just and manly course pursued by them in this affair. Three cheers were given the boat as she pushed off.

We suggest that a committee be appointed by our citizens at a meeting to be held at the Court House to-morrow (Monday) morning, at 10 o'clock, whose duty it shall be to examine for and intercept all similar shipments.

The Debate in the Senate on Friday.

Special Correspondence of the N. Y. Daily Times.

WASHINGTON, March 15th.

SENATORIAL TILTS.

The debate in the Senate yesterday was one of the events of the current session. Mr. Trumbull achieved great credit for the masterly manner in which he dissected and exposed the enormities of Douglas' Report on Kansas affairs made on the day previous—and still more, by his bold and effective maintenance of his ground in defiance of his colleague's tirade of abuse, and his overbearing, dictatorial manner. Mr. Douglas charged Mr. Trumbull with discourtesy in attacking his report, while its author was absent from the Senate. Mr. Trumbull denied that he knew of his absence. Mr. Douglas *seemed* to convict him of falsehood by saying that his colleague's attention was called to the absence of the Chairman of the Territorial Committee by Mr. Rusk, of Texas; but was triumphantly answered by Mr. Trumbull that his attention was not called to the fact until he had already spoken nearly an hour, and committed the offence, if it is an offence, of differing seriously with the Senator's Report, in its issues of fact and argument.

WHY AWAIT HIS COMING?

The inquiry is pertinent just here, whether Mr. Trumbull was bound to withhold his speech even if he had known his colleague was absent? It seems to me that any such claim is absurd. Mr. Douglas had drawn up a voluminous report upon the Kansas question, full of perversion of facts, and calculated, as his opponents believe, to infuse the poison of untruth and of false reasoning into the minds of the people. And, in order to be the more prompt and certain in getting it before the country, he sent it off to the Pro-Slavery organ in New York, at least twenty-four hours in advance of its communication to the Senate, so that it might be published. So, too, he hurried it into the hands of the Senate's Pro-Slavery Printer, and urged its printing with all haste, so that he and his friends might the sooner disseminate the document from this point. All this he had a perfect right to do, of course. But what folly it is for him to plead that in addition to all this advantage, if he chose to absent himself from the Senate Chamber for a week afterwards, for the very purpose of preventing a reply being made which should show his inaccuracies of fact and reason—what folly, I say, is it to plead that he was entitled, by such means, to seal the mouths of his colleagues, and so secure for his perversions immunity from all exposure until they should have succeeded in their errand of mischief and wrong, and have prejudiced the public mind against the truth, permitted to follow only after Mr. Douglas is satisfied that his error has stalked over the land in its seven-leagued-boots.

KENTUCKY FLASHES SCORN AND DEFIANCE.

But to the debate. The grossness of Senator Douglas's attack upon his colleague compelled Mr. Crittenden to call him to order, which rather added fuel to Mr. Douglas's flame, who took occasion, soon after, apparently smarting under the rebuke of the Senator from Kentucky, to speak in contemptuous terms of the Know Nothings. Here again he soon found himself in deep water, for Mr. Crittenden, with great moderation, but an air of cool and defiant determination, and after again stating that in vindication of the dignity of the body, he had called the Senator to order for transcending the bounds of decorum, (no compliment, surely,) avowed himself a member of the American party, and retorted with "scorn" the imputations cast upon it. A scene of apologies and smoothings soon ensued, Douglas evidently not relishing a storm from that quarter. The latter resumed and again charged his colleague with being the candidate of the Abolitionists and Know Nothings; but Mr. Trumbull coolly met the charge of his antagonist, and looking him firmly in the face, hurled back his shaft, in effect, saying, "I tell the Senator to his teeth, that what he states is untrue!" Douglas is bold and able, as he is dictatorial and unscrupulous in his partisan warfare, but he came off second best in this encounter, notwithstanding the Union of this morning suppresses any report of the scene, and publishes an editorial article abusive of Mr. Trumbull, and asseverating a Douglas triumph.

MASSACHUSETTS ON GENTLEMANLY DEPORTMENT.

But still the "little giant" was not content. Illinois and Kentucky had proved rather heavy game for him, so he fell back upon Massachusetts, and launched a philipic against Mr. Sumner, calling forth from the latter the stinging declaration—couched in the most gentlemanly terms—that upon the relative claims of the Senator from Illinois and himself to recognition as gentlemen, there could be no issue between them; the Senate would decide for itself. If this debate and its results would have the effect of teaching Mr. Douglas a little tolerance towards others, and of inducing him to lay aside a tone and air of arrogance towards his equals which, however becoming a plantation overseer, illy befits the senatorial character, the Senator would have occasion of superior gratitude, and the country certainly would not be the loser!

MURDER TRIAL.—We learn from the Stevens Point *Pinery* of the 4th inst., that Lane, who murdered Rainer, of Grand Rapids, in February, was tried at Plover, before Judge Cate, last week, found guilty of murder, and sentenced to the State Prison for life.—*Milwaukee Sentinel.*

☞ A great deal of interest is now felt at the State capital of New York in regard to the passage of a bill, reported by a committee, to bridge the Hudson river, at Albany. The opposition to it comes chiefly from Troy, and a few towns located on the river above Albany.

The necessity for a bridge at that point has long been felt. The people of the West have an interest in having the bridge made, so as to give them, at all seasons of the year, an uninterrupted passage to New York, Boston, and other places East. We hope the bill will pass.

LATEST NEWS.
BY
TELEGRAPH AND MAILS.

Arrival of the
STEAMER PERSIA.
NO NEWS OF THE PACIFIC.
DECLINE IN BREADSTUFFS.

NEW YORK, March 20.

The steamer Persia from Liverpool has arrived.

The Peace Conference is progressing favorably.

It had been reported that the representatives at the conference were signing preliminaries of peace but really the appending of their signatures of the preliminary formalities.

No news of the Pacific.

Breadstuffs considerably lower. [See market reports in commercial column.]

The Emperor Napoleon had recently made a speech; in which he said he hoped for peace, but France he said must be prepared either for peace or war.

The Persia brings nothing to add to the above except the general rumor that negotiations were proceeding steadily. The fifth meeting was held on Thursday the 6th, but secret as usual.

FRANCE.—Orders have been received at Marseilles for the conveyance of 10,000 infantry and battery artillery to the Crimea, to replace the troops returned home.

BALTIC.—The Russians are sending troops in considerable numbers to Finland; also concentrating a large force around St. Petersburgh and strengthening barriers near Cronstadt.

LONDON, Friday Evening.—Funds were heavy to-day, owing to continued pressure for money. Advances on Government securities were in active demand throughout the day at 6 per cent. Settlement day and transactions in scrip of new loan having increased the wants of dealers. Continued advices favor appearance of exchanges at all points.

The *Persia* brought 160 passengers, spoke 9th inst., off Cape Clear, steamer *Canada*, from Boston.

The ship *James Burns* arrived at Liverpool, from Melbourne, with upwards of 9000 ounces of gold.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH.

The Paris *Moniteur* of March 6th contains the following Imperial decree calling into active service 140,000 young soldiers of the class of 1855.

Two couriers passed through Berlin on Sunday, en route for Paris, having fresh instructions to the Russian Plenipotentiaries.

Hamburgh, March 6.—Admiral Wasson sailed from Kiel. He has ordered the fleet to assemble off Moor island to commence the renewal of the blockade of the Russian ports.

GREAT BRITAIN.—Additional insurance has been effected on the Pacific, at Liverpool, at 80 per cent.

The Covent Garden Theatre was burned on the morning of the fifth at an early hour, and just at the close of a masque ball under the management of Prof. Anderson, the wizard. Nearly all the party had left, and but few persons slightly injured. The destruction of the building and properties is complete.

Congressional.

WASHINGTON, March 20.

SENATE.

The Senate was crowded to suffocation. A large number of ladies came in early, occupying the reporters' seats; thus rendering note-taking next to impossible.

After some unimportant business, Douglas proceeded to reply to Trumbull.

[The telegraphic report of Douglas' remarks we cannot decypher, and therefore omit it.]—EDS. TRIBUNE.

HOUSE.

Campbell of Ohio from Committee of Ways and Means, reported on navy appropriation bill.

Mr. Benson, from Com. on Naval Affairs, reported back Senate bill for construction of ten sloops-of-war, with an amendment, providing that the Secretary of the Navy may in his discretion cause two to be built with side-wheels, and equipped with a view to 20 miles per hour, the greater speed attainable with due regard to their efficiency as war vessels.

NEW YORK, March 20.

James McGraith, bookkeeper for John R. Habusham, in Broadway, was this morning charged with embezzling monies to the amount of $14,000. Mr. H. is a branch of a Savannah house.

Special Despatch to the Tribune.
The Contested Governorship.

MADISON, March 20.

The Supreme Court to day went into an examination of the evidence in the case of ouster. That evidence is very strong against Barstow. Gen. Smith, one of the Board of Canvassers, appeared and claimed to defend that Board. Opinion stronger than ever in favor of Bashford. Testimony too long to be reported. It is thought to be conclusive, and that Barstow will be ousted to-morrow.

[Special Dispatch to the Chicago Tribune.]
Anti-Nebraska Address.

CINCINNATI, March 20.

Chas. Reemelin, of the city, to-night made an able and eloquent report of his observations and impressions at the Pittsburgh Republican Convention, and gave his views of the course to be pursued by Anti-Nebraska Democrats. R.

GOV. KOERNER.—The Anti-Slavery papers of Senator Trumbull's district have generally run up the name of Lieut. Governor Koerner for Congress, to fill the vacancy in that district. He is sure of being elected over any Nebraskal that can be started.

☞ The murderer (Jones) of Capt. H. E Stevens escaped from his fastenings and disappeared between Cairo and Hickman. It is supposed that he jumped overboard and was drowned. He had been tied to the engine in the Engineer's room, and left to himself. On looking for him the rope was found to be cut, and no trace of the murderer could be discovered. How the rope was cut, or by whom, it is not known.

☞ The Portsmouth (Ohio) *Daily Herald*, one of the half dozen papers there which hoisted the Fillmore flag, has died out for want of support.

THE MISSISSIPPI.—The Davenport *Gazette*, of Wednesday, says people are still crossing on the ice, but a partial breaking up is momentarially looked for.

THE GOVERNOR SIGNS THE BONDS.—A dispatch from Jefferson City, received yesterday, announces that Gov. Price has signed the State Bonds asked for by the Pacific Railroad. This ensures the rapid progress of the road to Kansas, and also the southwest branch.—*St. Louis Dem. 19th.*

SHEBOYGAN AND MISSISSIPPI R. R.—We learn from Senator Taylor of Sheboygan, that the contract for building and equipping the first 40 miles of the Sheboygan and Mississippi R. R., has been let to a Boston firm, who are to commence work on the 1st of May, and complete the first 20 miles of the road within 18 months thereafter.—*Milwaukie Sentinel.*

FATAL ACCIDENT.—The down train on the Chicago and Alton road yesterday, ran over Mr. John McLane, of Lincoln Station, cutting off both his legs at the knees. The unfortunate man lingered in great agony all the day and died from exhaustion and loss of blood during the night. It appears that Mr. McLane was attempting to get on board of the train after it had started, and was knocked upon the track by coming in contact with a wood pile.—*Springfield Journal*, 18th.

☞ The Connecticut River is still strongly locked in with ice. A year ago the Hartford steamers were running, but the captain of one of the river boats thinks navigation will not open this year before the 5th or 10th of April. It is capital sleighing on the ice as far down as Lyme, Ct., which is within a few miles of the mouth.—*Springfield (Mass.) Republican*, 17th.

PARDONED.—The Ripon *Spur* says, Dr. Bennett, of Black River Falls, a detestable, old, grey-haired reprobate, who was sentenced to ten years imprisonment in the State Prison, for committing a rape upon a poor, sick, defenceless woman, after serving but eight months of his time, has been pardoned out of Prison by William A. Barstow. No doubts were entertained by any one of his guilt, and his wife on his return refused to have anything to say to him, and immediately filed a petition for a divorce.

THE VORWARTS.—This is the name of the German paper published here by Mr. Stibolt. It had for some weeks been discontinued till last Saturday, when it again resumed. Mr. S. is a highly educated man and a powerful writer. He is also a true and ardent friend of Freedom, and we hope all Republicans will speak a good word for him and his paper to their friends. We will try to find room for his "address to the public" to-morrow.—*Galena Advertiser*, 19th inst.

The Next President.

[Special Dispatch to the N. Y. Tribune.]

WASHINGTON, March 18, 1856.

The Kansas debate will continue for several days. Messrs. Galloway, Howard, Kelsey, Burlingame, Ohio Campbell, Granger and Watson are yet to be heard. Douglas is openly announced as a candidate in the Presidential election, and he says himself that his name will be before the Cincinnati Convention. Fremont is not a Catholic as reported, but is of Hugnenot descent, and was long since confirmed as a member of the Episcopal Church. Letters favoring his nomination are flowing in from all quarters. His friends urge four points in his favor; he is a new man, fresh from the people; his past life shows him to be possessed of backbone; he is opposed to Slavery aggression and is in favor of Free Territories, and he favors the Pacific Railroad. Banks declines the nomination. Seward is earnestly advocated by many persons, but it is doubtful whether he will accept. McLean, Chase, Hale and Wilmot all have warm supporters. But the motto with every one is, "Success to principles rather than men."

To-Day's Advertisem'ts.

LOST—BY A LADY, ON YESTERDAY, A PURSE containing Twenty Five Dollars in gold. The finder, by leaving it at the office of Arnold, Larned & Lay, or at the Tribune Office, will be liberally rewarded. mar21,3t,q5

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INDIA SILKS,
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PLAIN WOOL DE LAINES,
SMALL FIG'D WOOL DE LAINES.
And a large variety of Goods, adapted to the season,
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Proposals for Stone.

SEWERAGE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
Chicago, Ill., Feb. 29th, 1856.

FOR THE PURPOSE OF ASCERTAINING the economy of substituting stone for brick in the upper portions of the five foot circular sewers for the City.
Sealed proposals will be received at this office, until noon, on the 29th day of March next, for 120,000 cubic feet of sound and durable arch stones, not less than eight inches deep, and dressed sufficiently to admit of being laid in courses on centering, good mortar joints, not over three quarter of an inch thick.
No allowance for more than eight inches in depth will be made in the measurement.
Delivery of stone to be at such points on the River bank between Chicago Avenue, Van Buren street, and the harbor piers, as the Commissioners shall determine.
Proposals will state the earliest day to commence delivery and how soon the whole quantity will be delivered.
Each proposal to be endorsed "Proposals for Stone." Satisfactory security for the faithful performance of all contracts will be required.
The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any proposal at their discretion.
By order of the Board.
mh2,td,3w J. D. WEBSTER, Acting Com'r.
The time for receiving the forgoing Proposals is extended until noon on the 1st April next.
By order of the Board.
mh19-td apl J. D. WEBSTER, Act'g Com'r.

PROPOSALS FOR BRICK AND DRAINAGE PIPES.

Sewerage Commissioners' Office,
Chicago, Ill., Feb. 19, 1856.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED till noon on the 29th day of March next, for SIX MILLIONS of thoroughly burnt BRICKS, of the ordinary form and size; and for FOUR MILLIONS, similar in quality and in size, but wedge formed, to adapt them to a two foot barrel drain.
Also, at the same time and place, for SIXTY THOUSAND FEET of thoroughly burnt, smooth, and glazed cylindrical Drain PIPES, fifteen inches in diameter; and an equal quantity of similar form and quality, twelve inches in diameter. Each pipe is to be accompanied by a ring or collar for the joint, [illegible]. Detailed drawings may be seen at this office.
Specimens of the Bricks and Pipes, must, if possible, be deposited with the Commissioners; but, if not, full descriptions of their size and qualities, must be substituted.
Proposals will not be received from any one party for less than one thousand bricks, or ten thousand feet of pipe.
[illegible]
Parties are requested to state the earliest day they can begin to deliver bricks or pipes, and how soon the whole amount proposed for, will be furnished.
Each Proposal to be endorsed "Proposals for Brick," or "Pipes."
Satisfactory Security for the faithful performance of all contracts will be required.
The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any proposal, at their discretion.
By order of the Board.
J. D. WEBSTER, Act'g Comm'r.
The time for receiving the foregoing Proposals is extended until noon on the 1st April next.
By order of the Board.
J. D. WEBSTER, Act'g Com'r.

3,000 Packages New Goods.
DAVIS, MOODY & CO,
Wholesale Dealers in
Dry Goods, Boots, Shoes and Hats,
17 South Water street, between Michigan and Wabash Avenue,
BEING A BRANCH OF THE HOUSE OF S. O. Davis & Co., of St. Louis, whose experience for the past 25 years, together with ample means, give us facilities in the purchase of goods rarely equalled, and second to none other.
We would assure all purchasers that our Warehouse is constantly supplied, [illegible].
mh21-td,3w,3p,q4

New Advertisements.

To Tailors!

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, 4 FIRST Class Vest Makers. None but the best of workmen need apply.
SAMPLE OF WORK REQUIRED.
mh20-1w ELY, 3 Tremont Block.

To Druggists.

A PERSON WHO HAS BEEN AT THE Drug business six years in Scotland, and seven in Canada, is desirous of getting employment in a respectable wholesale or retail establishment.
The advertiser would prefer a place where he could have the entire Sabbath at his own disposal, although, if necessary, he would be willing to attend on a part of the day, for the preparation of prescriptions.
Address A. B., box 56. mh20-3t*

Oysters! Oysters!

BEST OF BALTIMORE OYSTERS AT Fifty cents per Large Half Can. Liberal discount to the wholesale trade.
Orders from the country promptly attended to at No. 86 Randolph street.
mh20-3w,q1 GEO. T. HANSEN.

OYSTERS CHEAPER THAN BEEF!—COOKE'S best as cheap as the cheapest, at 12 Clark street.
Fresh Shad received daily.
Orders from the country solicited.
mh20-3w,p109 H. COOKE.

Money to Loan,

IN SUMS LARGE AND SMALL. NOTES Negotiated, &c. &c.
Apply at office of M. D. BROWN, 16 Dearborn street, Room No. 12, third floor. mh21,1m,p98

YOUNG MEN'S ASSOCIATION.—THE Annual Election of Officers of the Association will be held at the Reading Room, on Saturday, March 29d.
The Polls will be open from 9½ A. M. until 7½ P. M.
The annual meeting will be held at 7½ P. M., in the basement of the First Presbyterian Church.
mh20-3t* H. E. SEELYE, President Y. M. A.

City of Peru, Illinois.

FOR RENT, THREE FIRST CLASS Stores, No's. 4, 5 and 6, in Chambers' Row, Water street, Peru, fronting on Water street, situate on the bank of the Illinois River, suitable for Grocery, Clothing or Produce and River trade; being central also for the city business.
For particulars, please apply to
mar20-1m* HENRY JONES, Peru, Ill's.

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153..........RANDOLPH STREET..........153
2 doors West of Metropolitan Hall.

A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF ROSEWOOD, Mahogany, and Walnut Parlor Furniture.
—ALSO—
Chamber, Dining Room & Common Furniture,
constantly on hand, at wholesale and retail.
☞ Purchasers would do well to call, and examine our Furniture, before purchasing elsewhere.
D. L. JACOBUS..........A. STELLE..........J. P. JACOBUS.
mh20,'56-ly

Removal to 110 Lake street,
—OF—
Barnum's Great Variety Store,
(Four doors east of our Old Store.)

WITH A LARGER STORE, OUR SPRING Importations and extended facilities in procuring Goods of domestic make, direct from the manufacturer, we offer to the trade the best selection and largest stock of Toys, Fancy Goods, Yankee Notions, Wood and Willow Ware, House Keeping Articles, &c., to be found in the west.
mh20 BARNUM BROTHERS.

BABY JUMPERS.—A FINE LOT JUST received at BARNUM BROTHERS, mh20 110 Lake street.

PENCIL SHARPENERS CAN BE FOUND at BARNUM'S, 110 Lake street.

MEERSCHAUM PIPES, WARRANTED genuine. A beautiful assortment direct from Vienna, just opened at BARNUM'S GREAT VARIETY STORE, mh20 110 Lake street.

RUBBER COMBS.—CIRCULAR, PUFF, Side, Tuck, Dressing and Pocket Combs, received per express, this day, at BARNUM'S, mh20 110 Lake street.

AT COST.
Boots and Shoes at Cost!

WISHING TO DISPOSE OF OUR PRESENT large Stock, to make room for a new, we will offer it for a few days only,
AT PRIME COST,
An opportunity is here given to all to buy good Goods at their own prices, and Cheaper than has ever been offered before in this city.
Our stock consists of an endless variety, among which may be found—
Ladies' fine Prunella Gaiters, with and without heels.
" " Kid Gaiters and Bootees,
" " Kid Buskins and Slippers,
" " Toilet Slippers,
Misses' and Childrens' Shoes and Gaiters,
Boys' and Youths' Boots, Shoes and Gaiters,
Gents' fine Calf Boots,
" Patent Boots,
" Kip, light and heavy,
" fine Patent and Cloth Gaiters,
" Water Proof Boots.
We have a large quantity of Gents' Light Sewed and Peg Boots, Custom Work, which will be sold cheaper than by any other concern in the city.
☞ Please call and examine.
S. BURTON & CO.,
mh20,2w p38 52 Clark street, Sherman House Block.

STOCK OF NEW GOODS,
—AT—
T. B. CARTER & CO.,
136..........LAKE STREET..........136

SUCH A STOCK OF SPLENDID EMBROIDERIES, Rich Silks and Silk Robes, Elegant Grenadines and Robes, Pongees and Foulard Silks, Berage Robes, Challies and other Rich Dress Goods, were never exhibited by them before, and, they think, not in this City.
Also, a large invoice of Alexandres and other Kid Gloves, French Prints, Brilliantes, and many other Goods now opening. mh20

Spring Opening.
WESTERN MERCHANTS.
Wholesale Boot and Shoe Warehouse.
WADSWORTH & WELLS,
No. 145 South Water Street, Chicago.

WE HAVE IN STORE AND TRANSIT the largest stock of Boots and Shoes ever offered in this market, which will be sold for cash or approved paper at Eastern prices, transportation added.
Our stock was selected with care and direct reference to the demands of the Western Trade, and is mostly composed of custom-made warranted work, which we promise satisfactory to both buyer and consumer.
The attention of purchasers is respectfully solicited.
mh19,p63,3m

New Paper Hangings.

GEORGE DRAKE, DECLINING THIS branch of business, will sell at cost for a short time, a fine assortment of New Paper Hangings, at his Paint Shop in rear of 229 South Clark street, corner of Jackson street.
mar19-p92,1m

FREIGHT NOTICE.
Chicago, Alton and St. Louis Railroad.

THIS COMPANY ARE PREPARED WITH a full supply of Cars and Machinery, to do a large Freight business.
Goods intrusted to their care will be put through with despatch. The Company's Boats are running regularly between St. Louis and Alton, and there can be no delay from Ice incident to up river navigation.
L. DARLING, General Agent, Chicago.
JAMES BEBEE, Freight Agent, St. Louis.
mh19,1m,p95

Bushnell's Great Property Sale!!
$12,000 OF PROPERTY WILL BE SOLD.
AT ONCE,
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One well improved Farm, containing One Hundred acres of choice land, with good House, Barn and other outhouses; also, One Hundred and Fifty good Fruit Trees thereon, situated 12 [illegible] Chicago, Alton & St. Louis R. R., valued at $3,000 00

1 splendid Gold Hunting Watch, Chain and Seal	200 00
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do Cupped Watches	[illegible]
5 Fine Gold Watches	225 00
5 Silver Watches	75 00
1 Cluster Diamond Ring	165 00
1 do do do	100 00
1 Three Stone Diamond Ring	75 00
1 do do do	100 00
1 Opal, set in Diamond Ring	125 00
1 do do do	75 00
2 Cluster Diamond Rings	150 00
2 Diamond Pins	150 00
1 Emerald Pin	15 00
2 California Diamond Pins	20 00
75 Set Albata Silver Spoons	[illegible]
75 do do do Tea Spoons	[illegible]
12 do do do Dessert Spoons	[illegible]
12 do do do Forks	[illegible]
12 do do do Table do	[illegible]
25 Gold Pencils	[illegible]
25 do do	[illegible]
200 Extra Fine Gold Pens	100 00
100 Stone Set Fine Gold Rings	200 00
400 Ladies' Gold Pins	1,000 00
400 do do Ear Drops	1,000 00
100 pairs of Scissors, 100 pairs Spectacles, 100 extra fine Gold Rings, 15 Sewing Birds, 18 Ladies' Back Combs, 100 Port Monnaies, 8 Silver Watch Keys, 100 Gold Watch Keys, 25 Key Rings, 100 Gent's Gold Pins, 25 Butter Knives, amounting in all to	537 50
50 Pocket Knives, 18 Gold Heart Slides, 12 Cigar Cases, 60 Silver Thimbles, 12 Sugar Shovels, 300 Ladies' Jet Bracelets, amounting in all to	324 00
500 Gilt Bound Books, 300 Parlor Annuals, gilt bound, 600 assorted 32 mo., 25 fine Painted Cigar Cases, 25 fine Enameled Snuff Boxes, amounting in all to	171 50

☞ For detail of unmentioned articles, see small bills.
The subscriber, in order to insure a speedy sale of the above described property, has divided the same into SIX THOUSAND SHARES, to be sold at Two Dollars per share. Each share-holder shall be entitled to an undivided interest in the above described property; and upon the sale of the shares, the common property shall be divided and distributed in such a manner as shall be determined by a committee of (and appointed by) the Shareholders.
The property will probably be divided on the 15th of April but due notice of the time and place will be given, where all Shareholders are invited to attend, and insure by their presence a just and honorable division of the property.
Postmasters, Expressmen, Agents and others, remitting money for shares, will be answered promptly and certificates of shares remitted at once. WILLIAM BUSHNELL,
Masonic Temple, 57 Dearborn-st. Chicago.
Chicago, March 12, 1856. mh12w1p95

The Best Pump in the World.

C. G. CURTIS' DOUBLE ACTING FORCE PUMP. Patented March, 1855. With
HIRAM SMITH'S AIR ESCAPE,
Patented March 4th, 1856,
Making it the most efficient in operation, simple in construction, and more durable than any other.
This Pump is rapidly coming into use all over the country, and is for sale at manufacturers' prices, at
H. BACON & CO., 79 Kinzie street,
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NEW ENGLAND BOOT AND SHOE HOUSE.
BILL, FARGO & KELLOGG,

WHOLESALE DEALERS IN AND MANUFACTURERS of Boots and Shoes, 23 South Water street, Chicago.
W. A. BILL..........J. S. FARGO..........A. W. KELLOGG.
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The Track is Clear,:

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OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS!
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Offices—101 Dearborn street, Chicago, and Keithsburg, Ill.
marl7,'56-ly

Chicago Water Works.

WATER COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE,
No. 4 Marine Buildings, March 13th, 1856.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT Sealed Proposals will be received at this office until 12 M. of the 12th day of April, for Cast Iron Pipes, Branches, Bends, Tapers, Sleeves, &c., as follows:
[illegible]
All to be tested at a pressure of not less than 300 lbs to the square inch.
Drawings, Specifications and Forms of Contracts will be furnished at this office.
[illegible]
By order of the Board.
D. F. WALKER, Superintendent.

ESTATE OF G. D. LEWIS.—THE UNDERSIGNED, Administrator of the Estate of G. D. Lewis, deceased, will sell at public auction, [illegible] the 15th day of April next, all the personal effects of said deceased, consisting principally of a stock of Dry Goods, Groceries, &c.
[illegible]
GEO. C. COOK, Administrator.
Dated Chicago, March 18, 1856-3w,p97

The Book Trade.

HOMEOPATHIC BOOKS.—THE SUBSCRIBER is prepared to furnish Homeopathic Books, Wholesale or Retail, at New York prices, at the
Homeopathic Pharmacy and Book Store,
86 LASALLE STREET.
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Homeopathic Surgery, by Drs. Hill and Hunt.
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nov27-ly GEO. E. SHIPMAN.

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The Publishers have the pleasure of bringing out, in a handsome form, a new edition of this celebrated work, revised according to the author's last corrections, and greatly improved by a number of important additions.
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REAL ESTATE BROKERS,
16..........DEARBORN STREET..........16

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE AT AUCTION.—We will sell, on the premises, on Saturday morning, March 22d, at 10 o'clock, a fine 2 story Frame House, and Lot 36 by 125, to an alley on the corner of Sedgwick and Rush street, in Bronson's addition to Chicago. The house is 22 by 32 feet, with kitchen adjoining, 14 by 24, with a fine cellar underneath. Also, a 2 story Frame Barn, and good well and cistern.
The lot is surrounded by a good fence and Forest Trees. This will present a first class investment for a speculation, as the property will be sold without reserve to the highest bidder.
Terms made known at the time of sale.
mh15-p87-6 J. A. MARSHALL & CO., Auctioneers.

SPLENDID BLOCK.—BLOCK 35, SEC. 17, T. 39, for sale for a few days, on canal time.
This is a great bargain.
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OLD TOWN PROPERTY.—LOT 117 BY 100 feet, in block 45, Old Town, for sale cheap on canal time. J. A. MARSHALL & CO.

HOUSE AND LOT.—LOT 12, BLOCK 29, section 9, on the West side, with 2 Story Frame House, 24 by 28, for $1,100.
feb26 J. A. MARSHALL & CO.

HOUSE AND LOT ON BUFFALO ST.—No. 67; Lot 20 by 100, to an alley, for sale.
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FOR SALE, AN 8 ACRE BLOCK, NEAR American Car Company, bounded by Indiana Avenue and Ridgeley Place, a beautiful tract for subdivision.
feb23,1m J. A. MARSHALL & CO.

NORTH SIDE PROPERTY.—120 BY 100 feet, corner of Wolcott and Illinois, for sale. A splendid piece of property.
50 by 100 feet, on corner of Wolcott and Indiana with a first Class House, with gas and water accommodations, on Ten Years' time. J. A. MARSHALL & CO.
feb23-1m,o48

LOTS ON CLARK STREET.—LOTS 27, 28 and block 123, School Section, for sale low.
South half of Lot 1, block 100, School Section, for sale, with House. J. A. MARSHALL & CO.
feb23,1m,o48

WABASH AVENUE.—120 FEET ON corner of Wabash Avenue and Hubbard Court for sale.
Block 34, for sale cheap, on canal time.
feb23-1m o48 J. A. MARSHALL & CO.

Copartnerships, &c.

NOTICE.—THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE transacted under the firm of Ogden, Jones & Co. will be continued by the undersigned, under the name of Ogden, Fleetwood & Co., Stanly H. Fleetwood, late of the City of New York, having become a partner in the business.
Chicago, March 1, 1856.
W. B. OGDEN,
M. D. OGDEN,
E. H. SHELDON,
S. H. FLEETWOOD.
mar19-2w,p74

NOTICE.—THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the firm of Scammon & Haven is this day dissolved by mutual consent, the business of manufacturing LINSEED OIL will be continued by F. Scammon, who is authorized to settle all the business of the late firm.
Chicago, March 15, 1856. F. SCAMMON.
mh15-1w,p85 L. HAVEN.

DISSOLUTION.—THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the name of Foster, McEachran & Dunham, is this day dissolved by mutual consent and agreement.
All accounts of the firm of F., McE. & D., for or against, will be settled by the senior Partner, Geo. F. Foster, at 19 South Water street.
Having disposed of our entire stock to Messrs. Purington & Scranton, who will continue the Ship Chandlery, Sail Making, a Grocery business in all their branches. We take pleasure in commending them to our former Patrons, and the public generally.
Chicago, March 17, 1856. GEORGE F. FOSTER.
C. T. McEACHRAN.
mh18-2w,p170 GEO. B. DUNHAM.

NOTICE.—THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the subscribers under the name of Burling and Backus, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will be hereafter conducted by Edward Burling, who alone is authorized to settle the business of the late firm, and may at it be found at the rooms, No. 7 and 10 Marine Bank Building, near the office of Scammon & McCagg.
Mr. Backus has taken an office in the Masonic Temple Building, opposite the Post office.
Chicago, March 15, 1856. EDWARD BURLING,
mh17,1w,p73 WM. BACKUS.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—JOHN P. PHILLIPS is this day admitted as one of our firm.
Oct. 25, 1855-mh15,1w BOOKER, INNIS & CO.

COPARTNERSHIP.—THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a Copartnership, under the name of Robinson & Co., and will continue the Storage, Forwarding and Commission business, at their Warehouse, adjoining the M. S. and Rock Island Freight Depots.
E. DE WITT ROBINSON,
JOHN B. WEBB.
March 19, 1856.—mh15-2w,p39

DISSOLUTION.—THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between the undersigned, under the firm name of Allen, Fairbank & Cory, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
The business of the old firm will be settled by the new firm of Allen, Fairbank & Co.
GEO. M. ALLEN,
N. K. FAIRBANK,
March 1, 1856. JAMES Y. CORY.

ALLEN, FAIRBANK & CO.,
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY formed a Copartnership under the above style, and will continue the Produce Commission business.
GEO. M. ALLEN,
N. K. FAIRBANK,
Chicago, March 11, 1856-p34-1w D. O. DICKINSON.

NOTICE.—THE SUBSCRIBERS HAVE this day formed a limited partnership, under the name of Jacobus, Stelle & Co., for the manufacture and sale of furniture.
D. L. JACOBUS.
A. STELLE.
March 15, 1856-mh8-2m J. P. JACOBUS.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.—THE partnership heretofore existing, under the style of Avery, Upham & Miller, Wholesale Grocers and Commission Merchants expired by limitation, on the 1st of March, 1856.
All business appertaining to the late firm, will be settled by the subscribers, at their office, in their new store, No. 16 South Water street,—Reynolds & Ely's Block.
mar7 AVERY & UPHAM.

DISSOLUTION.—THE COPARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm of Benj'n Brewster & Co., is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All accounts and demands due to and by said firm will be settled by Benjamin Brewster.
mar5,3w,o100 BENJAMIN BREWSTER.
WILLIAM BREWSTER.

COPARTNERSHIP.—THE UNDERSIGNED have formed a Copartnership, under the firm of Stacy & Thomas, for the purpose of transacting the Importing, Jobbing and Commission business, in Dry Goods, No. 23 South Water street.
Chicago, January 1st, 1856. FITCH E. STACY.
ma3-3w EDWARD F. THOMAS.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—FROM JAN. 1, 1856, Samuel Rugg and William E. Kellogg, are partners in the firm of
WILLARD, PEEK & CO.,
feb23,o83,1m 155 Randolph street, Chicago.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE.—BROWN & CHAPMAN have this day associated with them in the Produce and Commission business, Mr. T. J. SLOAN, late of Philadelphia.
Feb. 23, 1856. BROWN & CHAPMAN.

SILAS BROWN..........DANIEL CHAPMAN..........S. J. SLOAN.
BROWN, CHAPMAN & SLOAN,
PRODUCE AND GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS, offer their services for the Purchase and Sale of all kinds of Produce on commission. They will also attend to procuring Freights or Charters for Vessels, the consignment of Lumber or Merchandise to order, and give particular attention to the sale of produce arriving by Canal or Railroad.
Liberal advances made on Consignments when required.
Office in the 2d story of the Store on the corner of South Water and State street, No. 67 South Water.
Refer to Messrs. J. F. Chapin & Co.; Geo. Smith; Messrs. H. Norton & Co., Hiram Wheeler, and Hon. D. V. Bell, Chicago.
feb23,'56

A CARD.
I HAVE ASSOCIATED WITH MYSELF, in the practice of the Law, Henry W. Bishop, Esq.
Chicago, Feb. 15, 1856. ARTHUR W. WINDETT.
feb15,1m,o51

WINDETT & BISHOP,
COUNSELLORS-AT-LAW. OFFICE, 128 Lake street, Chicago, Illinois.
ARTHUR W. WINDETT..........HENRY W. BISHOP, JUN.
feb15,'56-ly

Wanted.

A YOUNG MAN, HAVING A THOROUGH knowledge of the Grocery and Produce business, wants a situation, either as Salesman, Book-keeper, or Out-door Clerk. Satisfactory reference given on an interview.
Address G. W. Ramsey, Post office. mh20-3t*

FROM $1,000 TO $3,000.—A MAN HAVING the above Sum, and possessing good business habits, would invest it where the money and his services would insure good pay.
Address for 4 days, Baseball, box 2349 Chicago Post office.

HOUSE WANTED.—WANTED TO purchase, a good frame House, either one or two stories, that will do to move on to another lot.
Apply at the Coal Office, 301 South Clark street, to
mh19-1w J. THOMAS & CO.

WANTED, BY A PERSON THOROUGHLY acquainted with the Latin and Greek languages, Mathematics, and the usual branches of Education, is desirous of giving lessons, or instructions in the above, to twenty persons requiring the same, upon reasonable terms. He is also acquainted with French.
Call at Mr. John R. Hagget's boarding house, 67 Randolph street, between the hours of 1 and 4 P.M. mh19-4t*

WANTED, A SITUATION AS BOOKKEEPER, by the undersigned, who has practised Book-keeping by Double Entry, for the past four years. Has had experience in business, and feels competent to take charge of any set of books.
For reference as to character and ability, apply to Hon. Geo. F. Foster, Messrs. Saberton, Cook & Co., and can give several other names of first business firms in the city, if necessary.
Address box 422, or call at 159 South Water street.
mh19-1w,p90 A. M. BENNETT.

BOARD WANTED, IN A GENTEEL PRIVATE FAMILY, with furnished or unfurnished room, by two young gentlemen of good standing. Location south of Adams street. A religious family preferred.
Address J. G. S., box 1216, Chicago P. O. mh18-1w*

WANTED.—WE WANT 4 FIRST CLASS Houses, on the South side, north of Twelfth street. Also, Three Houses, suitable for Boarding House.
Also a number of smaller tenements in any part of the city.
Apply to CLARK & THOMAS,
mh18-2w,p93 4 Metropolitan Block.

THE SENIOR PARTNER OF ONE OF THE Oldest Drug Houses in the city, is willing to sell his interest, and retire from business.
Address Post office, box 330. mar7

WANTED, A PARTNER WITH $10,000 CASH.—A firm in this city, enjoying an old established business of many years, wishes to take into their concern a desirable partner, with $10,000 cash capital. The business is located on the best square on Lake street, and is a large house, which has conducted a successful trade.
A Special Partner would be as acceptable as an active one, as the present firm have been engaged for years, in the same business, they are competent to manage it.
The profits of last year's business were thirty thousand dollars, and as their stock is well selected, they do not experience a loss for depreciation of stock, nor does their style of business accumulate a bad stock of goods. The character of the present firm, is unexceptionable, and the most reliable references can be given, and will be expected.
For further information, address A. B. K., Chicago Post-office, with real name. mar8-p4,2w

ORGANIST.—WANTED, BY A PERSON of ability, an appointment in some Church or Chapel, in the above capacity.
The best of references given. Apply by letter, to A. B., box 208. feb27-1m*

WANTED, LIFE SIZE PHOTOGRAPHS of deceased or absent friends, from Daguerreotypes, on Canvass, painted in Oil.
Go to Hesler's Gallery, and see them, at 22 Metropolitan Buildings, Lasalle street. dec4

Board and Boarding.

FIRST CLASS BOARDING.—GENTLEMEN, married or single, can be accommodated with Rooms, at the large brick boarding house, 38 and 40 Franklin street.
The rooms are all convenient and furnished in a genteel manner, and kept to suit the most fastidious taste. Nearly all the rooms are furnished with single beds, so that every boarder can sleep alone. A limited number of day boarders can be accommodated.
Meal hours.—Breakfast, 7 to 8 A.M.; dinner, 12½ M.; supper, 6 P.M.
The terms will be found as low, considering the accommodations, as at any other place in the city. mh8-2w,p16

BOARDING.—A FEW GENTEEL BOARDERS can be accommodated at No. 174 Madison street.
mar4-1P-31

GOOD BOARD AND PLEASANT ROOMS For families and single gentlemen may be found at the new Boarding House of Mrs. S. E. HARING, Nos. 58 and 60 Lake Street. N. B. A limited number of table boarders will be taken. mar1,3mo-o78.

FIRST CLASS BOARDING HOUSE, CORNER Clark and Jackson streets, Chicago, Ill's., now open for the accommodation of permanent and transient Boarders. WM. G. STEWART, Proprietor.
Three fine Rooms now vacant. feb18

BOARDING.—GENTLEMEN, WITH THEIR Wives, and Single Gentlemen, can obtain good Board and pleasant Rooms, at 323 State street.
Terms moderate. jan8-3m*

Lost and Found.

FOUND, A GOLD PEN AND PENCIL IN One Case. The owner can have it by proving ownership, and paying this advertisement.
Enquire at 75 State street. mh20-3t*

To Let or Lease.

TO RENT, A SUIT OF ROOMS, 142 LAKE STREET, over L. D. Olmsted & Co.'s, suitable for a Wholesale or Retail Fancy or Dry Goods business.
mh20-1w

TO RENT.—TWO ROOMS, 20x140 FEET each, in the 2d and 3d Stories of "Laflin's" new block.
Enquire of BILL, FARGO & KELLOGG,
mar17-p93,tf 23 South Water street.

TO RENT, THE SPLENDID NEW Hotel at St. Paul, M. T., will be finished, and ready for use on the 1st day of May next. It is built of brick, is five stories high above basement, and 120 feet square, with open court in centre. Centrally located, and undoubtedly will be thronged with visitors from the South and East the coming season.
For further information, apply to
A. G. FULLER, Proprietor, St. Paul,
Or Morris Ladd, 135 South Water street, Chicago.
mar17-1m,p66

FOR RENT, A BRICK STORE ON LAKE street. Enquire of
mh17,1w,p60 WURTS, HATCH & CO., 71 Lake st.

TO LEASE, 70 FEET ON SOUTH WATER street by 140 feet on Michigan Avenue, will lease for [illegible] years.
mar17-2w,p70 WURTS, HATCH & CO., 71 Lake st.

TO RENT, A GOOD BRICK STORE ON Lake street.
Address box 1661, Chicago Post office. mh15-1m,p58

FOR RENT.—THE UNDERSIGNED offers his large and commodious Dwelling House for Rent. Situated at No. 86 Kenzie street, North side, adjoining the Foster House, on the East.
Will rent for a private residence, or for a first class Boarding House. The house has nine large sleeping rooms, with closets attached; Double Parlors, Sitting Room, Dining Room, Kitchen, very large Brick Cellar, Wood House, Buggy House and Barn. Also, large Yard.
Will sell such of the Furniture as is suited to the House, as Carpets, &c.
Possession given by 1st of May, and perhaps sooner, if required.
For terms, apply to No. 193 South Water street, or at the House, 86 Kinzie street. GEORGE F. FOSTER.
mar15-p80

TO RENT, THE STORE ON DEARBORN STREET, between Lake and South Water sts., known as No. 8. Possession 1st May.
Apply to Alex. N. Fullerton, 95 Lake street (up stairs.)
mh14,1m,p68

FOR RENT, A NEAT FRAME DWELLING HOUSE, situated on Green Bay Road, 1½ miles from the River, containing ten rooms, with closets, bath room, &c., stable, carriage house and ice house; together with one acre ground, improved with shade and ornamental trees.
The above would be a desirable location for a respectable family. Possession given April 1st.
Apply to DAVID GOODWILLIE,
mh14 On the Premises.

A YARD TO RENT.—153 FEET ON THE River, and 165 feet on Clark street, a few rods south of the R. I. and C. B. & Q. R. R. Freight Depots, now occupied by H. N. Turner, who will soon remove a little nearer the Depots, into J. Volk's yard, there to continue in the Lumber business, where he hopes to see all of his old customers, and many new ones.
His advantages of shipping by R. R. are superior to other Dealers.
Apply to H. N. Turner, on the ground. mh11-2w

FOR RENT, A NEW TWO STORY Building, corner Illinois and Market streets, Two Blocks from the Galena Railroad, and three blocks from the Chicago River. Is suitable for a Machine shop or Manufactory. Can be finished for a Hotel or Dwelling House.
Apply to HALE & CO.,
mar8-1m,p31 173 South Water street.

TO LET, 2ND AND 3D LOFTS, 26 BY 140 feet, No. 11 South Water street.
Apply at No. 11 South Water street. mar4

TO RENT, THE BRICK STORE, No. 124 Lake street.
Enquire of SAWYER, PAIGE & CO.,
mar8 124 Lake street.

TO LEASE FOR A TERM OF YEARS, Several Lots and Blocks on Canal street, and Water Lots on the South Branch, suitable for manufacturing purposes or lumber yards, upon which buildings will be placed if desired.
Apply to Dr. Brainard, 25 Clark street. mar6-1m,p67

For Sale.

CHEAP RESIDENCE FOR SALE FOR A few days only, on Illinois street, between Wolcott and Dearborn streets.
AYRES & HAMILTON,
mh18-10d-p90 105 Randolph street.

LEASE FOR SALE, No. 87 LAKE STREET, having two and a half years to run.
Enquire of Cornell, Barron & Rogers, 65 Clark street.
mh18-3t*

FOR SALE, A FIRST RATE YOUNG HORSE, at 217 Lake street.
mh15-1m,p87 H. BURTON.

HOUSE FOR SALE.—THE TWO STORY Frame Dwelling, No. 109 Adams street.
Enquire of J. R. Vickers, salt dealer, No. 158 South Water street. mar15-1w,p89

FOR SALE.—THE SUBSCRIBER OFFERS for three new and complete High Pressure Steam Engines, of the best material and workmanship.
One 24 by 18 inch Upright Cylinder, with heavy iron columns and bed-plate, two pumps, and everything complete for Machine Shop, Mill or Warehouse.
Also, one small Upright Engine, with iron frame cylinder, 8 by 18 inches, suitable for a Blower or Saw Mill.
Also, one Horizontal wooden frame, 20 by 9 inch cylinder, suitable for a Saw Mill or Machine Shop; with a quantity of 2¾ inch shafting and pulleys, made in the best manner, and will be sold together or separate, to suit purchasers, for cash or approved paper.
Apply to D. C. HENDERSON.
Sandusky, Ohio, March 10-p38,3w

FOR SALE, VALUABLE RESIDENCE PROPERTY.—[illegible] feet front, on Michigan and Wabash Avenue and State street, will be sold by the undersigned, at public vendue, on the 29th day of March instant on the ground.
Terms—One quarter cash; balance in one, two and three years, with usual interest.
GRANT GOODRICH,
JOHN LINK,
Executors of the Estate of
mar8,p9,3w Eliza Grant, deceased.

NOTICE.—FOR SALE, 16 HOUSES AND Lots. Also, 87 Scattering Lots, 15 of which are in Carpenter's Addition.
Those wishing to invest money in West Chicago, can now find bargains, by calling upon E. H. Cummings, at the West Chicago Land Office, 47 No. West Randolph street.
feb26-p62-3m

FARM FOR SALE.—80 ACRES W. ½ S. [illegible] miles west Kile's Tavern, on State street Plank Road.
For particulars, address J. C. Wenham, Grand Rapids, Michigan. jan28-3m*

A NEW AND VERY FINE TONED, ROSEWOOD PIANO, for Sale at a very low price.
Enquire at 183 State street. dec22,1d,3m*

FOR SALE.—ONE OR MORE SHOW Cases. Enquire at Sevilles' Cheap Hat and Variety Store, No. 45 North Clark street.

General Notices.

NOTICE.—A MEETING OF THE MASTER Mechanics of the different Railroads connecting with or running in Chicago, will be held at 49 Dearborn street, in the city of Chicago, on Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, March 25, 1856, for the purpose of organizing a Society, and the transacting of such other business as may be brought up for their consideration.
W. T. RAGLAND,
mar14-2w,p96 Sup't. Machinery C. A. and St. Louis R. R.

INVESTIGATION OF TITLES.—THE undersigned, having a complete Index to the Records of Conveyances, Judgments, &c., devotes his exclusive attention to the investigation of titles.
mh10-3m,p37 J. M. PARKER, 11 Metropolitan Block.

NOTICE.—THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE this day appointed Messrs. Mills & Co., 129 South Water street, Chicago, their sole agents for the sale of our Genuine Fulminated Collars for the Western States, of whom they can be obtained on the most favorable terms.
mar6-o96,3m E. R. VALENTINE & CO.
New York.

IN TIME OF PEACE PREPARE FOR WAR. ATTENTION, NATIONAL GUARD.—The regular meeting of Company A., National Guards, will be held on Tuesday evenings of each week, at 7 o'clock, until further notice. C. T. JENKINS, O. S.
jan15-tf

MARINE BANK OF CHICAGO,
Chicago, March 12, 1856.
THE NOTES OF THE COMMERCIAL BANK of Chicago will be redeemed on presentation at this Bank, at par. E. F. CARVER, Cashier.
mar15-p62,1w

BUTTER.—9 HALF BBLS AND 2 BBLS good Roll and Packed Butter, just received from Kendall County.
For sale by J. THOMAS & CO.,
mh15-2w 301 South Clark street.

THE CONFIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE of NAPOLEON BONAPARTE with his BROTHER JOSEPH, Selected and translated, with explanatory notes, from the "Memoires du Roi Joseph." Two thick volumes 12mo. Price $2.
No book has yet appeared which furnishes so correct a knowledge of the character of Napoleon. [illegible]
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For sale by KEEN & LEE,
148 Lake street, Chicago.

Special Notices.

☞ FOR TOWN COLLECTOR.—[illegible] is an independent candidate for re-election to the office of Town Collector in the Town of South Chicago, at the ensuing Township Election, in April next.

TOWN COLLECTOR, WEST CHICAGO.—The undersigned respectfully announces himself as a Candidate for Town Collector of West Chicago, at the ensuing April election, and solicits the votes of his fellow citizens.
JOEL KINNEY.
mh18-td

DOCTORS seldom take their own medicine. It is not to be wondered at that Dr. JAMES McCLINTOCK'S Medicines are to be found in families, in offices, in stores, in counting-rooms, in the green-rooms of theatres, in hotels, in banking houses, in steamboats, on board river and ocean steamers, [illegible], and, in short, almost every place inhabited by human beings. Physicians prescribe them in their practice, and use them in their families. The secret of it all is, they are the discoveries of one of the most learned and successful physicians in the United States.
For sale by BRINCKERHOFF & FENTON,
mh15 94 Lake street.

BRONCHITIS, COUGHS, HOARSENESS.—BROWN'S BRONCHIAL TROCHES, or Cough Lozenges, are made from a highly esteemed recipe for the alleviation of Bronchial affections, Coughs, Hoarseness, Asthma, Irritation of the Throat, and Catarrh, occasioned by cold or unusual exertion of the vocal organs in speaking or singing. Clergymen, Vocalists, Lawyers, and all Public Speakers will find them an admirable substitute for water in soothing the bronchial organs, clearing the voice, and a valuable and efficient remedy. Containing no opium, they can be used as freely as requisite. The recipe for the Troches was originally in the possession of a clergyman who had used them with success for a Bronchial affection, attended with a severe cough—they were recommended to others who were troubled by the use of them, and now they can be obtained by Druggists generally throughout the United States.
[illegible] Physicians in the treatment of Bronchial affections, Coughs, Asthma, &c.
Very respectfully,
GEO. F. BIGELOW, M. D.
JOHN I. BROWN & SON, Boston.
Sold in Chicago by J. H. REED & CO. mh5-d,[illegible]

NOTICE AND CAUTION.—FULTON, PERKINS & Co. have acquired the right to make and sell PAGE'S PATENT PORTABLE CIRCULAR SAW MILLS, and are the only parties in Chicago, at present authorized to make or sell them. Other Circular Saw Mills, built or sold in this city, are infringements on the Patent, and are, besides, comparatively worthless, from their imperfect and crude construction. Any person making, selling, or using them, violates our rights under the Patent, and will be held responsible for damages, as provided by the U. S. Patent Laws.
KINGSLANDS & FERGUSON,
ROLLIN CLARK, Assignees
Of Patent for Western States and Territories.
Chicago, Feb. 15, 1856. 3w*

BATCHELOR'S HAIR DYE.—The Original, True and Natural—beyond all question the best—the fastest, never fails to dye brown or black, true to nature, without the least injury to skin or hair. Made and sold, or applied do nine private rooms at BATCHELOR'S old established Wig Factory, 233 Broadway, New York.
Purchasers, ask for Wm. A. Batchelor's Hair Dye, as an injurious imitation is abroad. The genuine is sold by Brinckerhoff & Fenton, No. — Lake street, and J. H. Reed & Co., 142 Lake street. jan31,6m,m100

BATCHELOR'S HAIR DYE.—Perfection is not attained by indolence and ease; there is no flower-bed road to universal favor. The world will not be blown the chaff into a channel indicated by imitators. Whoever the fast-anchored fame of BATCHELOR'S Hair Dye, won by watching when others slept, guaranteed by its intrinsic worth and truthfulness to nature. WARRANTED never to disappoint the hopes of those who use it. Made and sold, or applied at the Wig Factory, 233 Broadway, New York.
Be not deceived, as an injurious imitation is abroad. See that each box has Wm. A. Batchelor on.
For sale by BRINCKERHOFF & FENTON,
94 Lake street, and
J. H. REED & CO.,
jan31,m100,6m 142 Lake street.

NOTICE.—While so many are suffering with Fever and Ague, Chill Fever, Dumb Ague, and Intermittent and Remittent Fevers, what can you find so good as Dr. Samuel Strong's FEVER AND AGUE DESTROYER—a sure and a purely vegetable preparation.
BRINCKERHOFF & FENTON,
[illegible] Wholesale and Retail Agents for Chicago.

HERRING'S PATENT CHAMPION FIRE-PROOF SAFES, with Hall's Patent Powder-Proof Locks, the same that were awarded separate medals at the World's Fair, London, 1851, and the World's Fair, New York, 1853 and 1854, and are the only AMERICAN SAFES and Powder-Proof Locks that were awarded medals at the London World's Fair, although others were on exhibition. AND ARE NOW ADVERTISED as World's Fair Safes and Locks.
THE PATENTEE PLACED $1000 IN GOLD in the one exhibited at the WORLD'S FAIR, London, and invited all the PICK-LOCKS IN THE WORLD TO OPEN THE SAFE, with or without the keys, and take the money as a reward for their ingenuity. Although operated upon by several skilled in the Art, no one could Pick the Lock, or open the Safe.
The subscribers and their agents are the only persons authorized to make and sell Herring's Patent Champion Safe, with Hall's Patent Powder-Proof Locks.
S. C. HERRING & CO., Green Block,
Nos. 135, 137 and 139 South Water street.
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BATCHELOR'S HAIR DYE.—"Let this be your trust." That it makes no difference how gray or red, or rusty the hair or whiskers may be, now how much they may have been injured by bad dyes, BATCHELOR'S will make them a beautiful and lively black or brown without the least injury. It will never fade or turn rusty. WARRANTED. Made and sold, or applied, (in 9 private rooms) at BATCHELOR'S Wig Factory, 233 Broadway, New York.
Counterfeits are offered; avoid all except the box that has "Wm. A. Batchelor," on.
Sold, wholesale and retail, by
BRINCKERHOFF & FENTON, 94 Lake st., and
J. H. REED & CO., 142 Lake street.
jan31,m100,6m

Dalley's Genuine Pain Extractor will subdue the pain and inflammation from the severest burns or scalds, in from one to twenty minutes—and that it will heal the wounds without scar; and effectually cure Fever Sores—Piles—Salt Rheum—Inflammatory Rheumatism—Sore and inflamed Eyes—Cuts—Wounds—Bruises—Old and Inveterate Sores—Scald Head—Corns and Bunions—Erysipelas—Sprains—Swellings—Felons—Chilblains—Bites of Insects—Swelled and Broken Breast—Sore Nipples—Eruptions—and all other inflammatory and cutaneous diseases, where the part affected can be reached.
Don't be incredulous about the many diseases named to be cured by only one thing—but reflect that the few, but positive properties which the Dalley Salve alone contains, and as here before enumerated—one to [illegible] not alone the aforementioned diseases, but many more not enumerated.
Each box of Genuine Dalley's Pain Extractor has upon it a Steel Plate Engraved Label with the signature of C. V. CLICKENER & Co., proprietors, and HENRY DALLEY, manufacturer. All others are counterfeit. Price 25 cents per box.
All orders should be addressed to C. V. Clickener & Co., 81 Barclay street, New York. The Genuine for sale by
BRINCKERHOFF & FENTON, 94 Lake street.
Nov. 22, '55, 6m.

J. H. THOMPSON'S POMADA OPTIME AND LIQUID HAIR-DYE.—J. H. Thompson, author of "Anatomy of the Skin," "Diseases of the Hair and Skin," &c., begs to call the attention of the American people to the above celebrated articles for the toilet.

THE POMADE OPTIME

was entirely new preparation for the Hair. It contains no one article used by any other manufacturer of any compound for the hair. It contains no coloring matter or essential oils. Its splendid perfume is obtained by digesting the corolla of the Rose, Verbena, and Heliotrope, with the article of which the Pomade is composed. By this process it will retain its magnificent scent any length of time in any climate. As an article of utility it has no rival. It will keep the skin entirely free from any scaliness accumulation of dandruff. It excites the oily and coloring secretions of the hair, and will restore and keep them in a healthy condition—thus preventing their falling off or turning prematurely grey. Ladies using this Pomade require to use no bonnet preserver; for, if the hair is thoroughly cleansed before applying the Pomade, the head will not soil the most delicate fabric with which it may come in contact.

TESTIMONY OF MISS LOUISA PYNE.

New York, Sept. 26, 1855.

"Mr. J. H. Thompson—Dear Sir: Please forward me six jars of Pomade Optime, as soon as you can. Let it be packed for traveling. I find my hair has much improved since using your preparation, and has entirely ceased falling out. If the present improvement continues, I shall pronounce your Pomade one of the most valuable and delightful cosmetiques for the hair, and can only continue to use it myself, but recommend it to my friends.
"I am, dear sir, yours truly,
"LOUISA PYNE."

CERTIFICATE OF DR. CHILTON.

"Being acquainted with the composition of the 'Pomade Optime,' manufactured by Mr. J. H. Thompson, I can state that the article is well calculated to improve the growth and appearance of the hair.
JAMES R. CHILTON, M.D., Chemist.
"New York, June 8th, 1854."

Price, 25 cents, 50 cents, and $1.50 per bottle; family jars $3.00.

J. H. THOMPSON, 6 Warren street, New York.

J. H. THOMPSON'S INSTANTANEOUS LIQUID HAIR DYE.

This dye is, without any exception, the best ever manufactured. Nothing sold in America or Europe, of any other make, will bear the least comparison with it. The proprietor publicly guarantees that it will dye red or grey hair to any shade of brown or black in one minute, and that so long the hair remains upon the head it will not fade or change color. It differs from all other dyes in its effect upon the fibres of the hair, as, instead of making the hair harsh, it renders the most stubborn, pliant and tractable. It is beautifully scented with violet, and will not stain the skin. The following is the

CERTIFICATE OF DR. CHILTON.

"Having examined the Hair-Dye prepared by Mr. J. H. Thompson, I can recommend it as being properly prepared and well calculated to answer the purpose for which it is intended;
JAMES R. CHILTON, M.D., Chemist.
"New York, June 8, 1854."

This certificate, from a scientific gentleman so well known as Dr. Chilton, renders the publication of any other certificate unnecessary, as it is a sufficient guaranty of the genuineness of the article. Sold wholesale and retail, by
J. H. THOMPSON, 6 Warren street, New York.
Price, $1 and $2 per case. Sent by express to all parts of the United States.
Wholesale and Retail, of
RAY & BALDWIN, 129 Lake st., Chicago.
Who can supply the trade at the manufacturer's prices.
Aug15-6m,14

A HARMLESS AGUE REMEDY IS A PUBLIC BENEFACTION.—See what the President of the Pharmacy [illegible] of Missouri says of RHODES'S FEVER AND AGUE CURE, or Antidote to Malaria:

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 15, 1855.

[illegible]
EDWARD S. WHEATON.
Wholesale Agents in Chicago, BARNEY [illegible].

NORTH WESTERN NEWSPAPER
ADVERTISING AGENCY.
W. S. SPENCER.
OFFICE,—154 RANDOLPH ST., Chicago, Ill's.

PUBLISHERS ARE REQUESTED TO send their Papers to my address, and they will be placed on file.
[illegible]

DESKS.—DESKS.—COUNTING, AND ALL other kinds of Desks. [illegible]
[illegible]

STRAW GOODS.—50 CASES OF SPRING Styles Straw Goods, just received and for sale by
WURTS, HATCH & CO.,
mh17,1w,p72 71 Lake street.

Stone and Lime.
A. H. TAYLOR & CO. JOLIET, ILL'S, Dealers in Stone and Lime. All kinds of Stone and fresh White Lime kept constantly on hand.
[illegible] BOYD & SPENCER, Agents.
[illegible] Clark street, Chicago, Ill.

MACCABOY SNUFF, IN ONE POUND Jars, for sale by SAWYER, PAIGE & CO.

RUSS SCHNAPPS FOR SALE BY
[illegible] & CO.
[illegible] Lake street.

DAILY TRIBUNE.
LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

WILLIAM W. PECK.......................EDITOR.

Friday Morning..........March 21 1856.

Board of Supervisors.
MARCH SESSION.
SECOND DAY.

CHICAGO, March 19, 1856.

Board met. Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Suprs. Osterhoudt, Smith, J. M. Gray, Kelly and Michie, were appointed a committee to examine the jail and the condition of its inmates.

Bill of H. Starkey. Referred to Com. on Poor House and Paupers.

Suprs. Prendergast and Cool were appointed a committee to make up the per diem of the members of the Board.

Supr. Prendergast, of committee on Judiciary, reported adversely to refunding tax to F. Porter. Concurred in.

Same committee reported adverse to paying the bills of John Dillon, John Mohon and Francis Kirk. Concurred in.

Bill of Wm. Carley. Referred to Com. on Jail and Jail Accounts.

Supr. Scoville reported the manner of expending the $100 appropriated to Wheeling for roads and bridges. Accepted.

The matter of the Dalton bridge, laid on the table yesterday, was taken up and disposed of by the passage of the following:

Resolved, That J. M. Osterhoudt be and is hereby appointed to keep said bridge in safe crossing order whenever it shall become necessary, and present the bills to this Board for adjustment.

Supr. Prendergast offered the following:

Ordered, That $25 be appropriated to Ann Dougherty, a pauper, for paying her passage and expenses to Still Water, Minnesota. Referred to county agent with power to act.

Supr. Scoville, of Committee on Jail Accounts reported adversely to bills of P. Ryan and Wm. Cosly. Concurred in.

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LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

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Our Pamphlet—Our Fire-Fly Card Press

Eds. Tribune:—

Your neighbors and my friends of the Press, have been regaling their readers for the past three months on little else than "Our Pamphlet," "Our Fire-Fly Card Press." The wonderful qualities of these articles continue to astonish the editors so profoundly that they have eyes and ears for no other topics. No lover ever dwelt on the perfections of his mistress with the perseverance of the Press people on this pamphlet and card press. They never tire admiring the one or puffing the other. It reminds me of the fare at a certain boarding house. The meats served up each day were of *four* kinds: for breakfast ram, lamb, sheep and mutton; for dinner, mutton, lamb, ram and sheep; and for supper, sheep, mutton, ram and lamb; so with the Press folks. It is "Our Pamphlet," and "Our Fire-Fly," and "Our Fire-Fly" and "Our Pamphlet," from day to day. Whenever this bill of fare is omitted for one issue, the interregnum is filled with modest puffery of the Press itself, or lectures are copied extolling the wonderful astuteness and astonishing profundity of the editors. I am a nervous man and a subscriber of the Press, but an awfully bored one, with its everlasting clack about "Our Pamphlet," "Our Fire-Fly," and "Ourselves."

The Press, in some respects, is a valuable paper, but its conductors damage its usefulness by changing it from a newspaper into a self-puffing bag-pipe. "Our Fire-Fly Card Press," it is very true, prints fast, but what is gained in speed is lost in workmanship—at least this is true of all I have seen of its work. But if it has merits, the public will find them out soon enough. As to "Our Pamphlet," the darling offspring of the Press people, upon which they lavish their affections so unsparingly, let me say a word. In the first place, its typographical execution is disgraceful—a libel on the noble "art preservative of arts;" and in the next place, its statistics are unreliable and unworthy of credit. Much of the contents of "Our Pamphlet" is made up of random guessing wild of the truth. I bought a dozen copies to send to friends abroad; but after examining it carefully I felt ashamed to send such stuff away, and threw them into the fire and burnt them. I think such loose documents have a pernicious effect, as they mislead both citizens and strangers. But, Messrs. Editors, if you have any bowels of compassion, or any influence with the Press, for heaven's sake exert it to get them to cease, for a season, their daily homilies about "Our Pamphlet," "Our Fire-Fly," and "Ourselves," because my sufferings are greater than I can bear, for he played on a harp of a thousand strings.

A Sufferer.

[For the Tribune.]

A Card.

To the Members of the Young Men's Association:—

Gentlemen:—"Following in the footsteps of my illustrious" competitor, (see his card of the 15th inst.) and fully indorsing his opinion of the office to which we have been nominated by our respective friends, that it is neither to be "sought or declined," I adopt this mode of signifying my acceptance of the nomination on the "opposition ticket." Should I be successful, it shall be my aim and pleasure to bring to bear my best efforts, and such experience as I may have acquired from a service in kindred institutions, to advance the interests of our Association.

Deeply interested in all things tending to foster the welfare and extend the already wide renown of our noble city, I am not content that an institution based on the soundest principles and aspiring to the worthiest influences and loftiest aims, should, in *Chicago*, fall below the highest standard of the most successful, in rival cities.

With reference to my friend and competitor, who has in advance kindly vouched for my possessing "the essentials for a good run," I have simply to accept his voluntary indorsement and trust his uniform good judgment will be fully sustained by the result. At all events, gentlemen, "elected or defeated," I shall feel an abiding interest in our institution, and grateful for all the votes especially, cast in favor of

Yours, respectfully,

N. P. Iglehart,

56 Lake Street.

[For the Tribune.]

Young Men's Association.—Members will bear in mind that the annual election comes off on Saturday the 22d inst., also that all dues must be paid, previous to voting.

It is of the utmost importance that a large vote should be polled as an earnest of the interest felt by all in the success of the institution.

The *"opposition ticket,"* if elected, propose to give a new impetus to the management the current year.

A Member.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Y. M. Association—Opposition Ticket.

For President.—CHARLES BURLEY.

1st Vice President—JAS. E. DALLIBA.

2d Vice—WM. H. CARTER.

Cor. Secretary—J. HOWLAND THOMPSON.

Rec. Secretary—HENRY HOWLAND.

Treasurer—CHAS. H. HUNT.

Managers—DR. CHAS. G. SMITH.

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☞ Shares of stock in Bushnell's great sale of property can be had for $2. Like seed sown on good ground, it may yield an hundred fold. Read the advertisement in another column.

Great Sale of Jewelry.—The reader's attention is invited to the advertisement of "Bushnell's Great Sale of Valuable Property," to be found in another column.

Several hundred shares went off yesterday, and there is no doubt but all the property will meet with a ready sale. m20 2t

Job Printing.—Railroad men, merchants, mechanics and the public generally are respectfully invited to call at the Tribune Job Rooms and examine specimens of printing done at this office. We do all kinds of printing, and at prices that must please. tf

MARRIED,

In Kenosha, Wis., Feb. 28th, Mr. THOMAS HARRISON, of this city, to Mrs. ANN FARRAR, of Wheatland.

Excelsior.—In adopting this motto, and under it, urging our claims to the public patronage, we would assure those whose attention it may arrest, that we have placed it at the head of our advertisement, fully impressed with the belief that we are entitled to it, as against the claims of all others. It has ever been, and ever will be, our pride and ambition to secure the confidence of all those who patronize us, by selling THE BEST GOODS AT THE LOWEST PRICES. During the past Winter months we have greatly ENLARGED OUR MANUFACTURING FACILITIES, and shall be, during the ensuing season, in the weekly receipt of NEW, DESIRABLE AND WELL MADE SEASONABLE GARMENTS, by express from our manufacturing house in New York.

Our trade is not confined to any particular grade of fabric, but embraces THE ENTIRE RANGE OF THE CLOTHING BUSINESS, and in our stock will be found THE FINEST AND MOST FASHIONABLE, as well as MEDIUM QUALITIES, to the making up of which, the greatest personal attention has been given, so that our motto shall apply to every article.

The extent of our sales and the CASH SYSTEM, enables us to offer GREAT INDUCEMENTS in the way of LOW PRICES, which will be found a considerable per centage less than are usually charged for goods of equal or inferior quality. In a word, it is our determination to yield to no competition, either in the quality of our goods or in the MODERATION OF OUR CHARGES.

We shall also keep a full and elegant assortment of GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, direct from the manufacturers. Particular attention is given to this department, and it will be found worthy a careful examination.

A call is respectfully solicited, from those who are about to order their Spring outfits.

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A LOT IN BLOCK 61, ORIGINAL TOWN, on Carroll street, near Halsted, two good frame houses, which rent for $200. For sale on easy terms, by STAPLES & SIM, 57 La Salle street.

A GOOD HOUSE AND LOT, ON HUBBARD street, containing Six Rooms, Closets, Batteries, Cistern, &c., for sale cheap. Apply to STAPLES & SIM, 57 La Salle street.

80 ACRES SOUTH OF BRIGHTON, ON Plank Road, fenced. Price $80 per acre, usual time. For sale by STAPLES & SIM, 57 La Salle street.

A FINE WATER FRONT, NEAR 12TH street, can be sold low, and on easy terms, if applied for in a few days. STAPLES & SIM, 57 La Salle street.

1 LOT 30x100 FEET ON THE CORNER OF Wabash Avenue and Tyler street, for sale cheap at usual time. Apply to STAPLES & SIM, 57 La Salle street.

A LOT ON THE SOUTH WEST CORNER of Erie and Market streets, 12x100 feet to an alley. Apply to STAPLES & SIM, 57 La Salle street.

25X80 FEET LOT, WITH A GOOD TWO Story House, on North La Salle street, between Ohio and Indiana streets. Apply to STAPLES & SIM, 57 Lasalle street.

HOUSE AND LOT ON ILLINOIS STREET, near Wolcott, 25x100 feet to an alley. Terms easy. Apply to STAPLES & SIM, 57 La Salle street.

LOT 8 IN BLOCK 3, CARPENTER'S ADDITION, on Peoria street, between Kinzie and Prairie. Apply to STAPLES & SIM, 57 La Salle street.

40 FEET ON WEST MADISON STREET, between Clinton and Jefferson streets, for sale on usual time. Apply to STAPLES & SIM, 57 La Salle street.

LOT 4 IN BLOCK 3, BRAINARD & Evans' Addition, 41 by 110 feet, to a 12 foot alley on Twelfth street, high and dry, for sale low on easy terms. Apply to STAPLES & SIM, 57 La Salle street.

HOUSE AND LOT, 31X120 FEET ON West Washington street, near the corner of [illegible] street. House is nearly new, with water and gas. Also vacant lot of the same size, adjoining this, will be sold at a great bargain, if applied for soon. STAPLES & SIM, 57 La Salle street.

Commercial Affairs.

Thursday Evening……March 20, 1856.

CHICAGO WHOLESALE MARKET.

Office of the Chicago Daily Tribune,
Thursday Evening, March 20, 1856.

The news received by the Persia this afternoon, reporting a sudden decline in the British markets is unexpected if not unwelcome news to many western holders. It was thought that to meet existing orders a shade below present ruling quotations would have to be paid; buyers, however, held off in view of the large quantities in first hands and the unsettled state of Foreign Markets. It is now known that renewed assurances of peace and heavy arrivals from the Continent and India caused the depression in British Markets reported by the Arabia, and fears were then entertained that holders would be forced to make sales at a decline. Consumers confined their purchases to immediate wants, the demand being mainly for best samples. It was expected that inferior would come down to speculative requirements, and other kinds have suffered depression in the the reaction. Peace assurances and favorable agricultural reports create independence on the part of millers and commission men. The effect of the Persia's news on New York will be definitely known to-morrow.

In our own market the demand for Grain comes chiefly from home dealers, no movement being made in large lots. Dressed Hogs stationary; a sale of 60 head, light and heavy at $5,25. Potatoes scarce and in demand. Very little Poultry in market.

We give quotations as follows:

FLOUR.—City Mills extra at retail $8,60; superfine $7,50—25c off at wholesale. Country brands of best quality range from $6,00@7,50 at wholesale. Buckwheat Flour $3,00 ⅌ 100 lbs. Rye Flour $5,50@5,80 ⅌ bbl.

WHEAT.—Spring to store and mill $1,12@1,18; red winter $1,20@1,30; white $1,20@1,40.

CORN.—40c ⅌ 60 lbs.

OATS.—25@27c to store and livery stables.

RYE.—Nominally at 90c.

BARLEY.—Ranges from $1,00@1,20.

DRESSED HOGS.—$5,25 for light and heavy.

WHITE FISH.—Inspected No. 1 half bbls selling at $5,50; No. 2 half bbls $5,25. No. 3 $4,50. Trout—halves No. 1 $5,25; No. 2 $4,50.

MACKEREL.—No. 1 $25; No. 2 $12,00@15,00; No. 3 $7,00@9,00; half bbls $1 more than half these prices.

CODFISH.—Dried 5@5½c ⅌ lb.

HERRING.—Pickled $7,00@7,50 ⅌ bbl; smoked ⅌ box 55@70c for scaled, and 60@65c for No. 1.

HADDOCK.—Pickeled $7,50 ⅌ bbl.

HAKE.—Dried 4@4½c ⅌ lb.

TALLOW.—11c ⅌ lb.

POTATOES.—70@75c according to quality.

SEEDS.—Timothy $2,37; Clover $7,00@7,25.

BEANS.—$2,25@2,40 ⅌ bu.

HIGHWINES.—25c ⅌ gallon. Whiskey 30@32c.

EGGS.—14c ⅌ dozen for fresh.

POULTRY.—Chickens 20@25c. Turkeys 14@15c ⅌ lb.

CHEESE.—Country 9@10c; Western Reserve 10@11c; Hamburg 12@13c.

SUGARS.—New Orleans common to fair 8@8½c: prime to choice 8¾@9c; clarified and coffee grades in bbls 9½@10½c; crushed, pulverized and granulated 11@11½c.

MOLASSES.—Plantation 42@45c; Sugar House 45c. Syrups, N. Y., 54@60c.

COFFEE.—Rio 12@13c; O. G. Java firm at 16@16½c; Mocha 16½@17½c.

HIDES.—Green 6@6½c; Green salted 7c; Dry Flint 14@15c; Dry salt 10@11c; Calf dry 12@14c; Calf skins 10c; Kip dry 12½@13½c, according to quality; Kip green 10½c; Sheep Skins 75@80c.

New York Market—March 20.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

Cotton—Firm; sales 20,000 bales.

Flour—Dull; 1,000 bbls at $6@6,50, and 4,000 bbls at $6,75@7,00 for straight state; $7,10@7,15 for Ohio.

Grain.—Wheat declined; 1,000 bus at $1,70 for southern red, and $1,90 for white. Corn dull; small sales western at 66 cents.

Provisions.—Pork improving; sales 14,000 bbls. Beef dull; sales 2,000 bbls. Lard firm; sales 3,000 bbls.

Whiskey—Drooping; sales 2,000 bbls.

Groceries.—Coffee firm; sales 3,000 bags Rio at 12c. Sugar firm; sales 250 bbls at 8¼c for Orleans. Molasses dull; sales 200 bbls Orleans.

Lard Oil—Quiet.

New York Stock Market—March 20.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

Stocks higher. Cleveland and Toledo 78½; Cumberland 24½; Erie 75½; Michigan Southern 95½; New York Central 94; Reading 91¼.

Liverpool Markets—[by Persia.]

Liverpool, March 8th, 1856.

Cotton.—The Broker's Circular report sales during the week, of 64,000 bales of Cotton; market closing steady. Some stiffer but not quotably higher. Fair qualities had slightly improved, but lower grades easier, though not quotably lower. Orleans middling, 5⅞@6; Orleans fair, 6⅞; upland middlings, 5¾; upland fair, 6¼; sales exporters 4,500 bales, and to speculators 800 bales. The estimated sales Saturday 7,000 bales and market unchanged; whole stock in port was 369,237 bales.

The accounts from Manchester represent the market firm.

Breadstuffs.—The telegraphic summary says: Breadstuffs are considerably lower. Flour declined 1s. Wheat 4@6d. Corn is 6d@2s 6d. Brokers' Circular quotes Breadstuffs as having considerably declined. Flour declined 2s@2s 9d. White Wheat declined 6d, white Corn is. Other Circulars state Flour on Friday dull, but improving at close; also Wheat and Corn. Western Canal Flour 31s@33s, Philadelphia and Baltimore 34s@35s, Ohio 35s. Red Wheat 9s 3d@9s 9d, white 10s@11s.

Provisions, &c.—Circular of Richardson, Spence & Co. quote Provisions as generally unchanged. Beef and Pork quiet. Eastern Bacon was in improved demand and scarce; first arrivals were worth 50@53s. Lard quiet at 54@55s.

The Brokers' Circular quotes naval stores unchanged.—Spirits Turpentine and Tar also quiet. Tallow dull at 55s 6d. Linseed Oil quiet at 34s.

Coffee steady and prices unchanged. Sugar advanced 6d. Pearl Ashes quoted at 44s and Pots at 37@37s 6d and dull.

London Market—[per Persia.]

London, March 7th, 1856.

Iron quiet and prices a trifle lower. Welsh bar pig and Welsh rails £8@£8 5s.

White Wheat 80@87s; Red 67@80s.

Flour 38@41s.

Sugar opened active and closed dull.

Money Market more stringent. Bullion in bank increased £24,000. Consols quoted at 91⅝. American Stocks steady and prices unchanged. The rate of discount is 6@7 ⅌ cent.

Havre Markets—[per Persia.]

Sales of Cotton for week 10,000 bales, market closing steady; whole stock is 75,000.

Orleans Tres Ordinaire 92 F. O.

Breadstuffs have considerably declined. Philadelphia and Baltimore Flour 44½ F. S.

New Orleans Markets—March 13.

Sugar—Louisiana.—The arrival of numerous steamboats from the upper country has given more activity to the demand for the west, and the receipts being moderate the prices obtained have been very satisfactory, while a fraction further advance has been realized in the common to fair qualities. The sales of the three days embrace fully 2,200 hogsheads, taken partly for Atlantic and Gulf ports, but principally for the west, and we now quote as follows:

Inferior……cents ⅌ lb.	4¾@5
Common to good common	5¼@6
Fair to fully fair	6¼@6½
Prime	7
Choice	[illegible]
Clarified	[illegible]

Molasses.—The Molasses market on the levee closed on Friday at 34@35 cents ⅌ gallon for good to choice round parcels, and this has been the prevailing range since for the same qualities, with a demand sufficiently active to take off the arrivals about as fast as landed, the sales for the three days summing up about 4,000 barrels, and the entire range of the market being as follows: Inferior and fermenting to ordinary 26@30; good to prime and choice 34@35 [illegible] cents ⅌ gallon. Some 700 packages Orleans refinery have been sold since our last at 36@37 cents ⅌ gallon for whole, and 40@41 cents for half barrels.—[Price Current.

☞ At the Horse market in this city, during the last week there were 290 horses sold. The highest price was $110, the lowest $10.—[Cin. Com.

Lumber Manufacture.

The following directions relative to the manufacture of Lumber for the Chicago market are from T. D. Hall's Canadian Lumber Circular:

First Clear—Should be mostly 12 and 14 and 16 feet long, sawed 1, 1¼, 1½ and 2 inch. In proportion of two-fifths 1 inch, two-fifths 1¼ and 1½, and one-fifth 2 inch.

Second Clear—Lengths 12 and 14 feet, cannot saw too much inch; a small amount of 1¼, 1½ and 2 inch. 16 feet in less proportion.

Flooring, Common—Lengths 12 and 14 feet, should be sawed 6 inches wide, and 1¼ inch thick, so that it will dress an inch. If well manufactured of good timber it is impossible to overstock the market.

Fencing—Length 16 feet, wide 6 inches, thickness a full inch. Cannot saw too much. A few 14 feet and 12 feet.

Siding—Should be sawed only with a circular saw, width 6 inches, thickness ⅝ inch, length mostly 12 and 14 feet; a few 16 feet. In general this should be done by splitting the flooring in two. Shipments of flooring therefore will meet the demand for this description.

Common Inch Boards—Lengths, 12, 14 and 16 feet. There should be more 12s and 14s than 16s. Cannot send too many.

Scantling—Lengths 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20 feet. Size 2 by 4 inch. In active demand.

Joist—12, 14 and 16 feet, 2 by 8 inches, and a few 18 feet, 2 by 6 inch. Are always saleable.

All lumber must be cut even feet in length, as an odd foot is not measured in this market. Care should be taken that all lumber is sawed alike at both ends and full thickness that it is intended for.

Commerce of Detroit for 1855.—The following statement, taken from the records of the Custom House at this port, gives a general summary of the amount and value of the imports and exports for the year 1855:

IMPORTS.

Value for quarter ending	March 31	$41,985
" " "	June 30	119,295
" " "	Sept. 30	102,[illegible]
" " "	Dec. 31	500,570

EXPORTS OF DOMESTIC PRODUCE.

Quarter ending	June 30	$275,302 50
" "	Sept. 30	408,738 00
" "	Dec. 31	126,911 00
Exports of Foreign Goods for the year		83,116 00

RECAPITULATION.

Total imports	$764,284 00
Total exports	954,567 50
Excess of exports over imports	$190,283 50

—[Detroit Tribune.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

The Mississippi River.—The St. Louis Republican of Wednesday reports a rise in the river and floating ice much more plenty. Some of the Illinois boats were to start to-day (Thursday) on the presumption the river was open to the mouth of the Illinois. The Missouri continued falling.

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A large lot of imported Market Baskets, 4 in nest. Also, a large stock of medium size Market Baskets in nests and by the Dozen; School Baskets, all sizes; Cov'd Market Baskets, round, oval and square; Clothes Hampers, square and round; Children's Chairs, Willow and Rattan; Willow Wagons; Willow Cradles, Willow Cabs, common and extension tops; and a large assortment of Ladies' Reticules and Traveling Baskets. Also, Work and Fruit Baskets. Any kind of Willow Ware made to order by the best of workmen.

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All kinds and sizes of Shoe Brushes, Horse Brushes; Scrubbing Brushes; White Wash Brushes and Heads. Also, Dusters and Broom Brushes.

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A large stock of Oak, Ash and Rattan Baskets, of all sizes.

Cordage and Twine.

Jute Rope, all sizes; Bed Cords; Clothes Lines, Plow Lines; Chalk Lines; Broom Twine, Tying and Sewing.

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Notice.—As Agents for the Prairie State Bank, we will redeem its circulating Notes, in exchange at the current rate. MORFORD BROTHERS.

Notice.—The undersigned, as agents of E. I. Tinkham & Co.'s Bank, McLeansboro', will redeem its notes at the current rates, for exchange. EDW'D I. TINKHAM & CO.

Notice.—The Hamilton County Bank has this day appointed Messrs. Gwynne, Day & Co., of Chicago Agents for the redemption of its notes, at the current rate of exchange. A. G. CLOUD, Cashier. McLeansboro, Oct. 1, 1855.

Notice.—The Bank of Southern Illinois has this day appointed Messrs. Gwynne, Day & Co., of Chicago, Agents for the redemption of its notes, at the current rate of exchange. WM. L. JOINER, Cashier. Bolton, Oct. 6, 1855.

Chicago Firemen's Insurance Company,—Office over Davisson's Bank, corner of Lake and Clark sts., is fully organized, and is prepared to take fire risks in Chicago, on Dwellings, Furniture, Buildings, Goods, Produce, and all kinds of insurable property in the city of Chicago.

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ONE OF THE PRINCIPAL AND GREAT causes of the high price of Brandy in this market is the indirect source from which it is derived. Nine-tenths of that imported is received from mercantile houses in Cognac, who buy of the farmers in that district and ship it to the United States, and at much advanced prices, and frequently in an adulterated state. In view of the facts, and for the purpose of securing a fair price for their product, a union of Brandy growers in France has been accomplished with the view of shipment to the United States.

The name of the consolidation is the Central Society of Vineyard Proprietors of Cognac, under the management of a president and a committee of inspection of eight members. The society itself numbers five hundred vineyard proprietors, among them some of the most influential noblemen in the neighborhood of Cognac, who contribute under certain bylaws, the entire growth of their vineyards to the general fund of the society, the present capital of which is 6,000,000f.

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Bottled Brandies, very old, in cases of one dozen each.

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Two or three bottles are warranted to cure the worst cases of ringworm.

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Three to four bottles are warranted to cure salt rheum.

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A benefit is always experienced from the first bottle, and a perfect cure is warranted when the above quantity is taken.

Nothing looks so improbable to those who have in vain tried all the wonderful medicines of the day, as that a common weed growing in the pastures, and along old stone walls, should cure every humor in the system; yet it is now a fixed fact. If you have a humor, it has to start. There are no ifs nor ands, hums nor ha's about it, suiting some cases and not yours. I peddled over a thousand bottles of it in the vicinity of Boston. I knew its effects in every case. It has already done some of the greatest cures ever done in Massachusetts. I gave it to children a year old; to old people of sixty. I have seen poor, puny, wormy looking children, whose flesh was soft and flabby, restored to a perfect state of health by one bottle.

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No. 1. The old brick house, formerly officers' quarters, 40 by 35 feet.

No. 2. The old wooden building east of the above, formerly officers' quarters, 60 by 20 feet.

No. 3. The old wooden (officers' and soldiers') barracks, immediately south of No. 1, 80 by 28 feet.

No. 4. The old wooden (officers' and soldiers') barracks, immediately south of No. 2, 80 by 28 feet.

No. 5. The old wooden carpenters' shop, formerly officers' quarters, south of No. 4, 40 by 20 feet.

No. 6. The old block house, built of hewn logs, 20 by 20 ft.

No. 7. The old brick magazine, standing near the block house, 15 by 15 feet.

No. 8. The hull and machinery and all the appurtenances of the old steam dredge boat, lying at the north-east of No. 3. (This is not the dredge boat now used for dredging the Lake Michigan Harbors.)

The bids must be specified in writing, with the bidder's name and residence, for each item separately. Terms cash: to be paid on a notification that the bid is accepted; and the building or buildings and the hulk of old steam dredge, to be removed by the purchaser clear off the Fort Dearborn reservation grounds within twenty days from the date of acceptance of the bid or bids, otherwise to revert back to the United States, without any restoration of the amount paid.

Address through Chicago post office, in writing, endorsed "Proposals for Public Buildings." Several bids by the same person may, at his option, be embraced in the same written communication.

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The latest style pattern Bonnets and Bonnet Blocks are kept constantly on hand. New Goods will be received every day during the season.

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This Sauce is suitable for every variety of dish, and the universal demand which its excellence has created, has led to many imitations being offered to the public, under a variety of names, but the genuine may be known by the names of LEA & PERRINS being impressed upon the bottle and stopper, and on the labels and wrappers.

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COUNTY COURT OF COOK COUNTY.

In the matter of the Estate of Joseph E. Wells, deceased.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN [illegible]

[illegible]

E. T. CUMMINGS, Administrator of the Estate of Joseph E. Wells, dec'd.

Chicago, March 17, 1856.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County, ss.

Cook County Court of Common Pleas, June Term, A. D. 1856.

[illegible]

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO [illegible]

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WALTER KIMBALL, Clerk.

CIRCUIT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA—Northern District of Illinois.

To July Term, A. D. 1856.

[illegible]

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO [illegible]

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WM. H. BRADLEY, Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—[illegible]

[illegible]

GEORGE R. SCOTT, Administrator of the Estate of [illegible]

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County, ss.

Cook County Circuit Court, [illegible]

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN [illegible]

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L. D. HOARD, Clerk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE.—BY VIRTUE of an order of the County Court of Cook County, [illegible]

[illegible]

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County, ss.

Cook County Court of Common Pleas, April Term, A. D. 1856.

[illegible]

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO [illegible]

[illegible]

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Cook County, ss.

Cook County Circuit Court, [illegible]

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L. D. HOARD, Clerk.

MASTER'S SALE.

[illegible]

IN PURSUANCE OF A DECRETAL ORDER [illegible]

[illegible]

Chicago, Feb. 28th, 1856.

NOTICE.—ALL PERSONS HAVING [illegible]

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[illegible] A. M.—Arrive from Burlington, Cairo and St. Louis.

6.50 P. M.—From Burlington, Decatur and Springfield.

Trains on the above road run in close connection, avoiding all laying over at any of the points.

Passengers leaving Chicago in the evening, arrive at St. Louis next afternoon, (being the only all railroad route from Chicago,) and at Cairo the same evening.

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Baggage checked through from Chicago, and no charge for handling at any point.

Through tickets by this route can be purchased at the railroad offices in the East; at the depot of the Galena Railroad, and at the Michigan Central Railroad Office, corner of Lake and Dearborn streets, opposite the Tremont House, Chicago.

C. G. HAMMOND, Superintendent.

SAM'L POWELL, General Ticket Agent.

Freight Notice.

CHICAGO and ROCK ISLAND RAILROADS.

ON THE OPENING OF THE ILLINOIS River, this Company will be prepared to transport from La Salle or Peoria to Chicago or Rock Island, large quantities of freight on reasonable rates.

Freight from New Orleans or St. Louis consigned to this road, will be forwarded without any delay.

Bills of lading and through prices will be given by our agent at St. Louis, to any station on this Road.

J. P. BABCOCK, Gen'l Freight Agent.

R. P. SASS, Agent, 28 Commercial street, St. Louis.

Chicago & Milwaukee Railroad.

Two Trains Daily, each way, Sundays excepted.

LEAVING CHICAGO STATION, ON THE West side, corner of Water and Kinzie streets, at 8.30 A. M. and 3.15 P. M., for Waukegan, Kenosha, Racine & Milwaukee, connecting at Milwaukee with trains on the Milwaukee and Watertown and Milwaukee and Mississippi Railroads, [illegible]

W. S. JOHNSON, Supt.

Michigan Central Railroad Co.

1856

North Shore Line of Steamboats.

DETROIT AND BUFFALO.

NEW AND MAGNIFICENT STEAMER MISSISSIPPI, Has been added to this line, and it will commence running immediately upon the opening of Navigation, as follows:

WESTERN WORLD, J. H. BAKER, Commander.

Will leave Buffalo—Mondays and Thursdays.

Will leave Detroit—Wednesdays and Saturdays.

PLYMOUTH ROCK, P. S. RALPH, Commander.

Will leave Buffalo—Tuesdays and Fridays.

Will leave Detroit—Mondays and Thursdays.

MISSISSIPPI, S. G. LANGLEY, Commander.

Will leave Buffalo—Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Will leave Detroit—Tuesdays and Fridays.

The steamers are all new, of the largest class, being about 2000 tons each, commanded and officered throughout by men of large experience and capability, and fitted up and furnished for the convenience of passengers in a style of comfort and luxury entirely unequalled, and are in all respects considered the most desirable steamers that float upon the waters of the United States.

For the transportation of Freight, the Line will surpass anything ever before offered to the public, having arrangements with parties between Boston and New York, and all points west of Buffalo to St. Louis, which will enable them to forward goods and merchandise with greater dispatch than has ever yet been attained.

Shippers of new goods from the east should mark packages to the care of C. L. Seymour, Buffalo; merchandise from the West, should be to the care of John Hosmer, Agent, Detroit.

C. B. SWAIN, Agent.

Racine and Mississippi Railroad.

OPEN TO DELAVAN!

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, (FEBRUARY 4th), Regular Trains will run between Racine and Delavan, stopping at East Mount Pleasant, Windsor, Union Grove, Dover, Burlington, Lyons, Springfield, Geneva and Elkhorn Stations, as follows:

GOING WEST.

Leave Racine 8 A. M. Arrive at Delavan 10.45 A. M.

" 1 P. M. " " 4.45 P. M.

GOING EAST.

Leave Delavan 6.30 A. M. Arrive at Racine at 9.15 A. M.

" 1 P. M. " " 3.45 P. M.

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This road is well equipped and furnished with every facility for doing a heavy Freighting business with dispatch and regularity. [illegible]

H. S. DURAND, President.

Healthy Bread.

JAS. PYLE'S DIETETIC SALERATUS.

THE GREAT PERFECTION ATTAINED IN the preparation of this Saleratus, [illegible]

[illegible]

DOUBLE THE AMOUNT OF RAISING PROPERTIES.

[illegible]

THIRTY POUNDS MORE BREAD,

[illegible]

JAMES PYLE, 114 Warren street, New York.

And sold by Grocers generally.

GOSS & HOAG.

50 BBLS. 95 PER CT. ALCOHOL, FOR sale by SAWYER, PAIGE & CO.

100 BALES PRIME EASTERN AND Western Hops, for sale by SAWYER, PAIGE & CO.

H. MAILLARD'S CELEBRATED GUM Drops, assorted flavors, for sale by SAWYER, PAIGE & CO.

20 GROSS HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT, for sale by SAWYER, PAIGE & CO.

WINTER BLEACHED WHALE OIL, FOR sale by the Cask or Bbl. by SAWYER, PAIGE & CO.

DAVID ABBEY & CO., HAVE ON HAND at No. 22 North Water street, [illegible]

D. ABBEY & CO.

Railroads.

Pennsylvania Railroad.

THE GREAT CENTRAL ROUTE, CONNECTING the Atlantic cities with Western, North-western, and South-western States, by a continuous Railway direct. This road also connects at Pittsburgh with a daily line of steamers to all ports on the Western Rivers, and at Cleveland and Sandusky with Steamers to all ports on the North-western Lakes; making the most direct, cheapest and reliable route by which Freight can be forwarded to and from the Great West.

RATES BETWEEN PHILADELPHIA AND PITTSBURGH.

First Class:

Boots, Shoes, Dry Goods, (in boxes,) Furs, Feathers, &c. [illegible] cts per 100 pounds.

Second Class:

Books and Stationery, Dry Goods, (in bales,) Hardware, Leather, Wool, &c. 75 cts per 100 pounds.

Third Class:

Anvils, Bagging, Bacon and Pork in bulk, Hemp, &c. [illegible] cts per 100 pounds.

Fourth Class:

Coffee, Fish, Bacon and Pork (packed) Lard and Lard Oil [illegible] cts per 100 pounds.

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Cotton—$2 per bale, not exceeding 500 lbs. weight, until further notice.

In shipping goods from any point east of Philadelphia, be particular to mark packages "via Pennsylvania Railroad." All goods consigned to the agents of this road at Philadelphia or Pittsburg, will be forwarded without detention.

FREIGHT AGENTS.—Harris, Wormley & Co., Memphis, Tenn.; R. F. Sass & Co., St. Louis, Mo.; J. S. Mitchell & Son, Evansville, Ind.; Dumesnil, Bell & Murdock, and Carter & Jewett, Louisville, Ky.; R. C. Meldrum, Madison, Ind.; Sprigman & Brown, and Irwin & Co., Cincinnati; N. W. Graham & Co., Zanesville, Ohio; Leech & Co., No. 54 Kilby st., Boston; Leech & Co., No. 2 Astor House, New York; No. 1 William street and No. 8 Battery Place, New York; E. J. Sneeder, Philadelphia; Magraw & Koons, Baltimore; Geo. C. Franciscus, Pittsburg.

H. H. HOUSTON, General Freight Agent, Philadelphia.

H. J. LOMBAERT, Sup't, Altoona, Pa.

1855. AIR LINE ROUTE. 1856.

FROM

CHICAGO TO ST. LOUIS.

—VIA—

Chicago, Alton, and St. Louis Railroad,

FORMERLY CHICAGO AND MISSISSIPPI.

CARRYING THE GREAT

AMERICAN EXPRESS AND U. S. MAILS.

THE ONLY DIRECT AND RELIABLE Route to the South and South West. Seventy miles shorter than any other Route.

Trains leave the ILLINOIS CENTRAL DEPOT, foot of Water street as follows:

St. Louis Day Express (Sundays excepted) 9.30 A. M.

St. Louis Night Express (Saturdays excepted) 11.10 P. M.

Freight and Emigrant (Sundays excepted) [illegible] P. M.

Trains run directly through without Change of Cars or Baggage.

From Chicago to St. Louis, 13½ Hours.

IMPORTANT LOCAL CONNECTIONS.

AT JOLIET—with the Rock Island Railroad for Ottawa, La Salle, Rock Island and Central Iowa.

AT BLOOMINGTON—with Illinois Central Railroad for Clinton, Waynesville and Decatur, and with Stages for Peoria.

AT SPRINGFIELD—with Great Western Railroad for Jacksonville, Naples and Illinois River.

AT ALTON—with Daily Line of Packets for Hannibal, Quincy and Keokuk, the most expeditious and reliable route to all portions of North-Eastern Missouri.

AT ST. LOUIS—with Daily First Class Steamboats for New Orleans and Intermediate Points on the Lower Mississippi, and with Regular Lines of Packets for Kansas, St. Joseph, and all points on the Missouri, Tennessee, Cumberland and Arkansas Rivers.

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Responsible Baggage Men will be at the Depots of the various roads coming into the City, to check Baggage through to any point desired on the Line.

RICHARD P. MORGAN, Jr., Sup't.

L. DARLING, Agent, Chicago.

Great Western Mail Route.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, DECEMBER 17th, 1855, Passenger Trains will leave Wells Street Depot, daily (Sundays excepted) as follows:

GALENA AND CHICAGO UNION RAILROAD,

MAIN LINE.

FOR FREEPORT, GALENA AND DUNLEITH.

Through Passenger 11.00 A. M.

Way Passenger 3.20 P. M.

CHICAGO, FULTON AND IOWA LINE.

FOR DIXON, FULTON AND CENTRAL IOWA LINE.

Through Passenger 8.30 A. M.

Passenger [illegible] P. M.

BELOIT AND MADISON BRANCH.

FOR BELOIT, JANESVILLE AND MADISON.

Through Passenger 11.00 A. M.

Way 3.20 P. M.

FOX RIVER VALLEY RAIL ROAD.

FOR CRYSTAL LAKE, M'HENRY AND RICHMOND.

First passenger 8.30 A. M.

Second 3.20 P. M.

TRAINS EASTWARD.

GALENA AND CHICAGO UNION RAILROAD.

Leave Dunleith 7.00 A. M., arrive in Chicago 5.20 P. M.

" Freeport [illegible] A. M., " " 11.45 A. M.

CHICAGO, FULTON AND IOWA LINE.

Leave Fulton 5.00 A. M., arrive in Chicago 11.45 A. M.

" " 11.00 A. M., " " 5.10 P. M.

BELOIT AND MADISON BRANCH.

Leave Footville, 5.40 A. M., arrive in Chicago 11.45 A. M.

" " [illegible] " " 5.10 P. M.

Afton (near Janesville) 6.07 " 11.45 A. M.

FOX RIVER VALLEY RAILROAD.

Leave Richmond 7 A. M., arrive in Chicago 11.45 A. M.

" 4 P. M., " " 5.10 P. M.

All the above trains connect with the Great Eastern Lines, diverging from Chicago to all points East.

JOHN B. TURNER, President.

P. A. HALL, Assistant Superintendent.

Dec. 22, 1855.

Fox River Valley and Wisconsin Central R. R.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, DEC. 17TH, Trains will be run as follows:

Leaving G. & C. U. R. R. Depot, Chicago, at 8.30 A. M.

" " " 3.20 P. M.

" East Elgin [illegible]

" " [illegible]

Returning, leave Richmond at [illegible]

" " [illegible]

Arriving in Chicago at 11.45 A. M.

" " 5.10 P. M.

Passengers leaving Chicago by the Evening Train, reach Richmond at 8 P. M., connecting with stages for Genoa, Geneva to Elkhorn, Wis., same evening.

Passengers leaving Chicago by the 3 P. M. Train arrive at Richmond at 7 o'clock same evening.

For tickets, apply at G. & C. U. R. R. Ticket office, Chicago.

MILO SMITH, Superintendent.

Pennsylvania Railroad.

THREE DAILY THROUGH TRAINS, BETWEEN Philadelphia and Pittsburgh. THE MORNING MAIL TRAIN leaves Philadelphia for Pittsburgh at 7½ A. M., and Pittsburgh for Philadelphia at 7 A. M. THE FAST LINE leaves Philadelphia for Pittsburgh at 1 P. M. and Pittsburgh for Philadelphia at 1 P. M. THE NIGHT EXPRESS TRAIN leaves Philadelphia for Pittsburgh at 11 P. M., and Pittsburgh for Philadelphia at 10 P. M.

The above lines connect at Pittsburgh with the Railroads to and from St. Louis, Missouri; Alton, Galena and Chicago, Illinois; Frankfort, Lexington and Louisville, Kentucky; Terre Haute, Madison, Lafayette and Indianapolis, Indiana; Cincinnati, Dayton, Springfield, Bellefontaine, Sandusky, Toledo, Cleveland, Columbus, Zanesville, Massillon and Wooster, Ohio, [illegible]

Also connecting with the Steam Packet Boats from and TO NEW ORLEANS, ST. LOUIS, LOUISVILLE, AND CINCINNATI.

Through Tickets can be had to or from either of the above places.

For further particulars, see handbills at the different starting points in the West.

Passengers from the West will find this the shortest and most expeditious Route to PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE, NEW YORK, OR BOSTON.

THOS. MOORE, Agent, Passenger Lines, Philadelphia.

J. MESKIMEN, Agent, Passenger Lines, Pittsburgh.

Philadelphia, Feb. 1, 1856.

Great Central Southern Route.

NEW ALBANY & SALEM RAILROAD

In Connection with the Michigan Central Railroad.

FARE REDUCED.

Two Express Passenger Trains Daily between Chicago, New Albany and Louisville.

THE ONLY DIRECT ROUTE FROM CHICAGO—1st Express Train leaves Michigan Central Depot at 6.15 A. M. daily, Sundays excepted. 2d Express leaves Michigan Central Depot at 9 P. M. daily, Saturdays excepted—the trains going directly through without delay or connection with any other road to New Albany and Louisville.

Arrangements have been made, by which passengers can procure through tickets to Lexington and Frankfort, Ky., to avoid the vexations delays, changes, and liabilities of missing connections by any other route.

Passengers should be particular and procure through tickets for New Albany, Louisville, Lexington and Frankfort, Ky., via New Albany and Salem Railroad, running from Lake Michigan to the Ohio River, through the central portion of the state of Indiana, and the most beautiful part of the State.

This is also the most direct route to Cincinnati, Dayton, Columbus, Wheeling, Baltimore, Washington, Philadelphia, Pittsburg, and the principal cities in the Middle and Northern portions of Ohio and Pennsylvania, via. Lafayette, where the trains connect direct with the La Fayette and Indianapolis Railroad, and at Greencastle with the Terre Haute and Richmond Railroad.

On this route will be found good engines, clean and comfortable cars, gentlemanly conductors, and every arrangement calculated to make the passage over the route pleasant and agreeable.

Through tickets via. of this route can be purchased at the principal ticket offices in the West, and at Chicago of H. J. Spalding, M. C. Railroad office, opposite Tremont House, and at the Michigan Central Depot.

C. KNOWLTON, General Superintendent.

1855. Fall Arrangement. 1855.

GREAT AMERICAN.

U. S. MAIL AND EXPRESS ROUTE

Via Michigan Southern and Lake Shore R. R. to Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Albany, New York, Boston, and Philadelphia.

Four through Passenger Trains each way daily.

THE ONLY DIRECT AND RELIABLE Railroad Route, being 12 miles nearer to Cleveland, Pittsburgh, Harrisburgh, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, than any other route, and the most expeditious route to Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Albany, New York and Boston.

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All the above trains connect direct with all points East and Southeast, without any detention.

[illegible]

Only two changes of cars between Chicago and Pittsburgh.

Through tickets good for 30 days, allowing passengers to stop over anywhere on the route.

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For further information apply to

PASSENGER AGENTS.

Geo. M. Gray, Tremont Buildings, Chicago.

E. P. Fisher, Planters House, St. Louis.

J. F. Porter, 193 Broadway, New York.

Capt C. Forbes, Buffalo.

P. B. Truax, Toledo, Ohio.

JOHN D. CAMPBELL, General Superintendent.

Chicago, Nov. 1, 1855.

Chicago in Railroad connection with the Capital of Iowa.

Chicago and Rock Island AND PEORIA BRANCH RAILROAD.

THE ONLY RAILROAD IN CONNECTION WITH THE MISSISSIPPI AND MISSOURI RAILROAD, IN IOWA, NOW OPEN FROM DAVENPORT TO MUSCATINE AND IOWA CITY.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JANUARY 14th, Trains leave Chicago daily (Sundays excepted).

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TRAINS ARRIVE.

[illegible]

The above Trains are in direct connection at Chicago, with all the Great Eastern and Southern R. R.

[illegible]

JOHN F. TRACY, Superintendent.

Chicago, January 14, 1856.

100 QTLS COD FISH FOR SALE BY H. SAYRE, [illegible]

3 TONS PUTTY, IN BLADDERS, [illegible] J. H. REED & CO.

10 GROSS HEGEMAN, CLARKE & CO.'S Cod Liver Oil, for sale by J. H. REED & CO.

20 CASKS No. 1 GLUE, VERY SUPERIOR Article, for sale by SAWYER, PAIGE & CO.

Railroads.

Shortest and Best Route

FROM CHICAGO TO NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON CITY,

Is by the way of the

Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad.

Merchants by this Route, have easy access to Philadelphia and Baltimore Markets.

FOUR TRAINS LEAVE CHICAGO DAILY.

[illegible]

FOR NEW YORK.

[illegible]

J. DURAND, Superintendent, Cleveland, Ohio.

HALE & Co., Agents, Chicago.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD

CHICAGO BRANCH.

TRAINS LEAVE CHICAGO, from the NEW STONE PASSENGER STATION HOUSE, foot of Lake st., near Michigan Avenue, for Kankakee, Urbana, Mattoon, and all stations on the Chicago Branch of the Illinois Central Railroad, [illegible]

[illegible]

MAIN LINE AND GALENA BRANCH.

TRAINS LEAVE CHICAGO for Galena, Dunleith, Dubuque and Northern Iowa and Minnesota, and all Way stations west of Freeport, from the Depot of the Galena and Chicago Union Railroad.

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The Illinois Central Railroad Trains now connect regularly with the Galena and Chicago Union Railroad at Freeport, with the Chicago and Burlington road at Mendota, with the Great Western Railroad at Decatur and Urbana, with the Terre Haute and Alton Road at Mattoon and Pana, and with the Ohio and Mississippi Railroad at Sandoval. [illegible]

REGULAR DAILY FREIGHT TRAINS run over the whole line of the Road, and arrangements have been made to transport freight over all connecting Roads.

FOR TICKETS, for the Chicago Branch, apply to the Ticket office of the Company, foot of Lake street; and for Tickets for Galena Branch and Main Line, apply to the Office of the Galena and Chicago Union Railroad Passenger Depot on Wells street; and for further information, apply to

JOHN B. DONE, General Superintendent, Chicago.

GEORGE WATSON, Division Sup't, Centralia.

JAMES C. CLARK, " " Amboy.

C. H. CONSTOCK, " " Chicago.

March 5, 1856.

Expresses.

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HALE & CO.'S FREIGHT EXPRESS

TO CHICAGO, AND ALL POINTS IN THE WEST AND SOUTH WEST

FROM

PHILADELPHIA, BALTIMORE & PITTSBURGH.

Goods Contracted and Receipts given through to all places named below by the Freight Agents of the following Railroads:—

E. J. SNEEDER, Freight Agent of Pennsylvania Railroad, Philadelphia.

MAGRAW & KOONS, Freight Agent of Pennsylvania Railroad, Baltimore.

JOHN A. CAUGHEY, Freight Agent of Cleveland and Pittsburgh Railroad, Pittsburgh.

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Mark packages, "Hale & Co's Express," and deliver to Agents as above.

HALE & CO., Proprietors, Chicago, Illinois.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.

1855.

UNION EXPRESS COMPANY'S DAILY MESSENGER EXPRESS.

FROM NEW YORK AND BOSTON TO THE WEST—New York office, 174 Broadway, corner Maiden Lane.

Boston office, 21 State street (Traveller's Building).

Chicago office, [illegible]

CAPITAL STOCK $150,00

RICHARD M. JEWETT, President.

EDWARD P. BUNN, Secretary.

A. WALLINGFORD, Superintendent.

Prices to Chicago, by steam on Lake Erie:

[illegible]

Mark packages [illegible]

DANL. W. MATHER, Agent, Chicago.

1856.

Merchants' Despatch!

American Express Co., Proprietors.

FROM

NEW YORK AND BOSTON

TO THE

West and South-west,

IN SPECIAL CARS ON EMIGRANT PASSENGER TRAINS.—THROUGH BY RAIL ROAD!

Time Receipts given!

SHIPPING DIRECTIONS.

Mark all Packages "Merchants' Despatch." Deliver to D. D. Harris, Agent, at Depot, foot of Barclay street, N. Y., and W. R. R. Co. [illegible]

AGENTS.

A. H. LIVINGSTON, 16½ Broadway, New York.

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HALE & CO., Chicago.

PEOPLES' EXPRESS COMPANY.

New Arrangement.

HAVING COMPLETED THE NECESSARY arrangements, we are now running a Daily Express via MICHIGAN CITY,

Lafayette and Indianapolis;

—TO—

Cincinnati.

This being the shortest, quickest, (by several hours,) and only Direct Route, it is very evident that we offer to shippers greater facilities for the transportation of heavy and light freight, packages, valuables, money, &c., than can be offered by any other line. All freight sent through in charge of a messenger.

Express also leaves daily for New Albany, Louisville, and [illegible]

[illegible]

Contracts will be made for all descriptions of freight, and for any desired time.

Office 52½ Clark street.

Valentine & Co.'s Express,

TO ST. LOUIS, VINCENNES, DUBUQUE, Galena, Freeport, Lasalle, Bloomington, Decatur, Cairo and New Orleans. [illegible]

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T. W. ALEXANDER & CO., Agents, No. 128 South Water st., Chicago.

Forwarding &c.

J. W. McGee & Co.,

PROPRIETORS OF THE

Chicago and St. Louis Transportation Line,

—AND—

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Office, No. 158 South Water street.

Boats of this line leave Chicago and St. Louis daily, for all points on the Illinois and Michigan Canal and Illinois River. Freights of all kinds forwarded with dispatch.

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1856.

CLARKE, GUTHRIE & STURGES,

FORWARDING & COMMISSION MERCH'TS,

No. 11 CENTRAL WHARF, BUFFALO, N. Y.

[illegible]

HESLER'S

Daguerreotype, Photograph & Fine Art Gallery,

Nos. 22, 24, 26 and 27, Metropolitan Block, Lasalle street.

THE SUBSCRIBER TAKES PLEASURE [illegible]

[illegible]

PHOENIXIANA; OR, SKETCHES AND BURLESQUES. [illegible]

[illegible]

KEEN & LEE, [illegible]

Forwarding, &c.

1856.

TRANSPORTATION.

FERRY & SONS,

FORWARDING AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Dealers in Lumber, Shingles, Plaster, Flour, Produce, &c.

CENTRAL DOCK, GRAND HAVEN, MICH.

Owners and Agents of Steam Lines to and from Milwaukee, Chicago, the Grand River and Collins [illegible]

JAS. E. HUGUNIN, Agent.

JOHN M. FOX, Agent.

1856.

HULL, ALLEN & CO.

(Late Hull & Parish.)

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

FLOUR AND PRODUCE BROKERS,

LEVEES . . . . { DAVENPORT, Iowa. ROCK ISLAND, Ills.

AGENTS FOR

United States Express Company and MERCHANTS' DESPATCH.

[illegible]

Mark packages "Care H. A. & Co.," Davenport or Rock Island.

CHICAGO REFERENCES—Gibbs, Griffin & Co., [illegible] Hall & Co., J. J. Richards, J. K. Dodson & Co.

1856.

S. S. BALL & CO.,

FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Dealers in all kinds of

PRODUCE, SALT, WATER LIME, PLASTER, &c. &c.,

GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN.

Agents and Proprietors of Ball's line of Steamers

ON GRAND RIVER,

Agents for the

American and Western Transportation Co.'s Line from New York.

J. H. HUGUNIN, Agent, Chicago.

CUTLER & WAITE, Agents, Grand Haven.

DANIEL BALL, [illegible]

Mark goods care of "Cutler & Waite," Grand Haven, Mich., by Ball's Line of Steamers, Grand River.

1855.

C. DICKINSON & CO.,

DEALERS (BY THE CARGO) IN ALL VARIETIES OF

OHIO COAL.

ALSO, PROPRIETORS OF A

LINE OF FIRST CLASS SAIL VESSELS, running between Chicago and all ports on Lakes Huron, Erie and Ontario. Office at A. B. SPENCER & CO'S.

1855.

COLLINS, WATERS & BROWN,

Forwarders, Produce & Commission Merchants,

Nos. 109 and 110 South Water street, [illegible]

CHICAGO, ... ILLS.

WILLIS F. COLLINS, WILLIAM WATERS, [illegible]

REFERENCES:

David Downs & Co.	New York.
Smyth & Gifford	Albany, N. Y.
J. R. Enos & Co.	Waterford, N. Y.
Gurdon Grant	Troy, N. Y.
W. W. & J. Reynolds, Jr.	Poughkeepsie
Thomas Kempshall	Rochester
George W. Tifft	Buffalo, N. Y.
Bank of Albion	Albion, N. Y.
Bank of Orleans	Albion, N. Y.
Hazard, Cook & Knight	Providence
Wm. E. Humphrey & Co.	Boston
Clapp & Brother	Boston
Hopkins & King	Springfield
Draper & Clark	Worcester
Noyes & Weston	Portland, Me.
Henry French	Hartford, Ct.
George Smith & Co.	Chicago, Ill.
Munger & Armor	Chicago, Ill.

R. M. MITCHELL, & CO.,

FORWARDING AND

COMMISSION MERCHANTS

Large Fire Proof Brick Block, Nos. 192 and 194 South Water street.

CHICAGO . . . . ILLINOIS.

Cash advances made on consignments, for sale in Chicago, Buffalo, or New York.

1856.

FOR LAKE SUPERIOR.—CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE, and LAKE SUPERIOR LINE. Michigan and Lake Superior Transportation Company.

FOUR BOATS FOR LAKE SUPERIOR.

On the opening of navigation four first class Passenger and Freight Boats will be put on the above route; one leaving Chicago every three days, returning a boat from Lake Superior Ports every three days, touching at all immediate Ports on Lake Michigan and Lake Superior. The above line is composed of the following first class steamers—Lady Elgin, Superior, Ontonagon, (new) and Ogontz. The combined freight capacity of the four boats of this line is seventeen thousand (17,000) barrels, or eight thousand hundred (8,000) barrels per week, and will run in the following order:

The LADY ELGIN, for Superior and Intermediate Ports, [illegible]

The ONTONAGON, for Ontonagon and Intermediate Ports, [illegible]

The SUPERIOR, for Ontonagon and Intermediate Ports, [illegible]

The OGONTZ, for Marquette and Portage Lake and Intermediate Ports, [illegible]

For freight or passage, apply to

A. T. Spencer & Co., foot of State street, Chicago, Ill.	
Wm. M. Case, Washington, Ill.	
Du Kee, Truesdale & Co.	Kenosha, Wis.
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Dousman & Co.,	Milwaukee, "
J. F. Kirkland,	Sheboygan, "
J. C. Hubbard,	Manitowoc, "
R. K. Jones,	"
Wisconsin Leather Co., Two Rivers.	
Ahlrich, Smith & Co.,	"
Chippewa Portage Co., Sault St. Mary.	
S. White & Co., Marquette.	
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Wm. F. Maley & Co., Copper Harbor.	
Henry Stoe & Co., Eagle Harbor.	
J. Senter & Co., Eagle River.	
Coburn & Eurienshaw, Ontonagon.	
Carson & Close,	"
S. S. Lockwood,	"
J. Aus rian, La Pointe.	
Nettleton & Culver, Superior.	

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SANFORD, HALL & CO.

(SUCCESSORS TO THOS. HALE,)

STORAGE, FORWARDING,

AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS

CENTRAL DOCK,

CHICAGO . . . . . ILLINOIS.

AGENTS FOR THE

WESTERN TRANSPORTATION CO.,

PROPRIETORS.

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